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**We Are America . . .**

**as portrayed in . . .**

## **THE HIGHLANDER 1956**

**Volume 4**

**Southern High School    Oakland, Maryland**



# We Are

## WE ARE AMERICA.

We are the school youth of today—  
more than 32,000,000 of us.

We are a time capsule within ourselves—  
We are the past, the present, and the future.

## We are the past...

We are believing and living the ideals for which our  
predecessors fought, lived, and died...

We are the embodiment of Washington, Jefferson, Franklin,  
and Lincoln.

We are the adventurous spirit and pioneering blood of  
Davy Crockett, Daniel Boone, and others who carved  
our land from a wilderness.

We are the creative mind of Eli Whitney, Robert Fulton,  
the Wright brothers, Bell, and Edison.

We are symbolic of Stephen Foster, George Gershwin,  
Irving Berlin... and the Barrymores.

We are the sentiments of Longfellow, Mark Twain, and  
Will Rogers.

We are the sportsmanship of Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, the  
World Series.

We are all this—and more.

## We are the present...

In our time—Pearl Harbor, Korea, the Atomic Bomb,  
and... the H-Bomb!

We have witnessed the breaking of the water, sound,  
and heat barriers.

We have seen rockets, jet planes, cinerama, T.V., and  
plans for space satellites and trips to the moon.

We are entangled in the problems of automation and  
the tensions of a disordered world.

But we have seen men striving for peace, for a United  
Nations.

Where we practice the rules of good sportsmanship, page 45



Where we are free to learn, page 5



Where we recognize the worth of all individuals, page 11





# ... America

## WE ARE THE FUTURE...

We are the leaders of tomorrow.

We will build tomorrow's buildings and bridges.

We are the designers of tomorrow's politics.

We are the farmers, ministers, musicians, artists, and the teachers of tomorrow's youth.

We are the perpetuation of the religious faith that founded America.

We are the homes of tomorrow.

We are the hope for peace.

We are Southern High School...  
more than 1170 of us.

It is here that we have learned to believe in America.

## AND WHAT DO WE BELIEVE?

We believe in the freedom to learn, to grow mentally, under the guidance and instruction of those who have taught us and have been patient with us in our groping after knowledge.

We believe in the right to choose our own friends and companions and to recognize the worth of all individuals.

We believe in the opportunity to develop sound bodies, to practice good health habits, and to learn the rules of good sportsmanship.



We believe in freedom to make the best use of our time, to develop our abilities and interests, to appreciate the contributions which others have made to our culture, and to accept our responsibility for enriching the society in which we live.

We believe in the right to choose our vocation, to prepare ourselves to take our places in the world of work, and to understand how our work can add to our own happiness and also to the happiness of others.

This is what we at Southern believe...

And we are part of America.

As we turn the pages of this 1956 Highlander, may fond memories be constant reminders of that which we believe.

Where we may develop our abilities, page 55



Where we are free to choose our vocation, page 65





# Administration

*"Slinky"*



MR. W. KENNETH JOHNS  
Principal

Mr. Johns came to Southern this year from Bel Air High School. In the short time that he has been here he has shown a sincere interest in the work and activities of the student body.

We feel that Mr. Johns has helped us to become better citizens of Southern High School and has encouraged us to accept our responsibilities as American citizens.



MR. CARL H. EVERLY  
Vice-Principal



MRS. LELA PAUGH  
School Secretary

## GARRETT COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Seated left to right: Dr. Ralph Calandrella; Mr. Ross Speicher; Mr. Willard L. Hawkins, County Superintendent; Mr. C. O. Bender

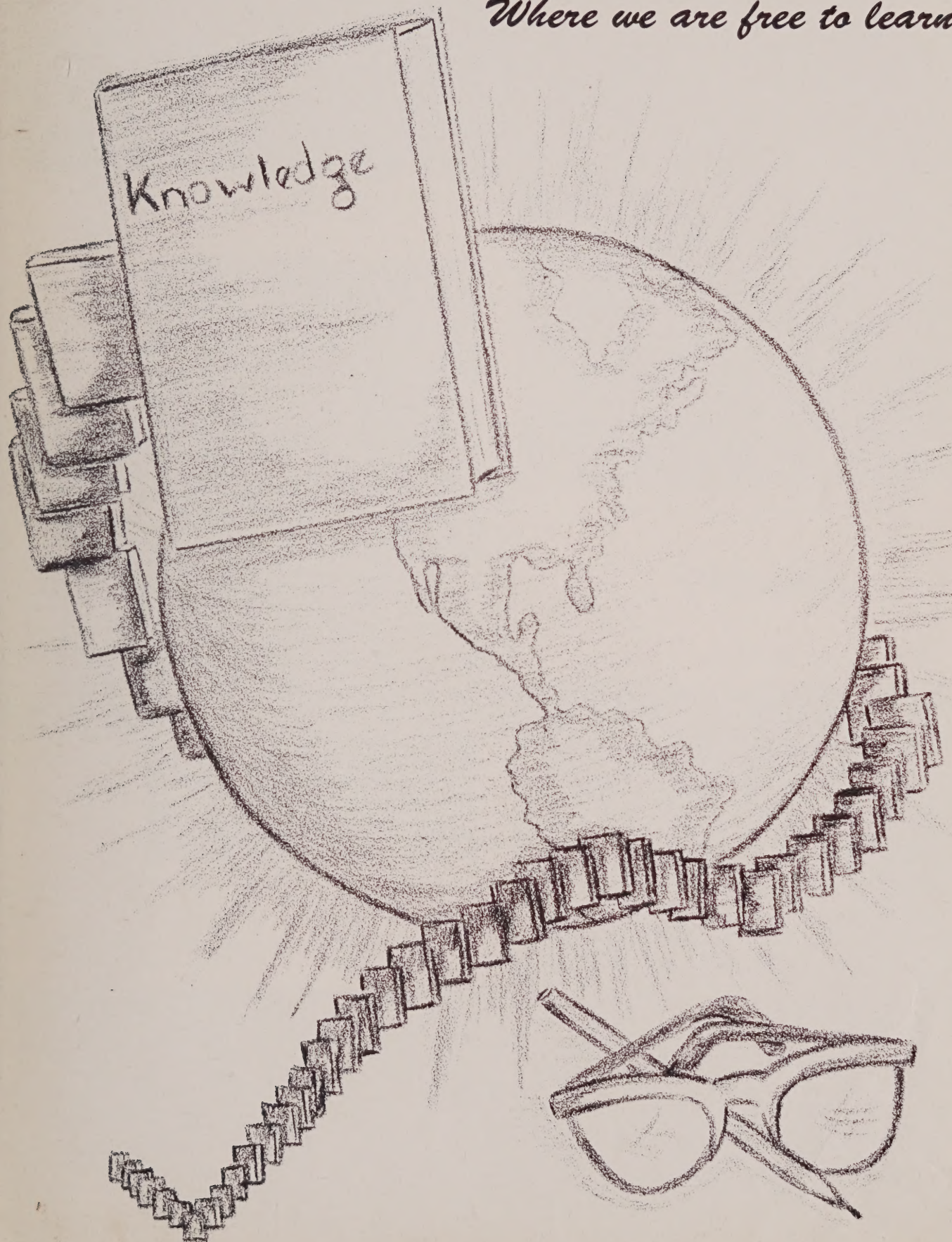


MR. FOSTER D. BITTLE  
High School Supervisor

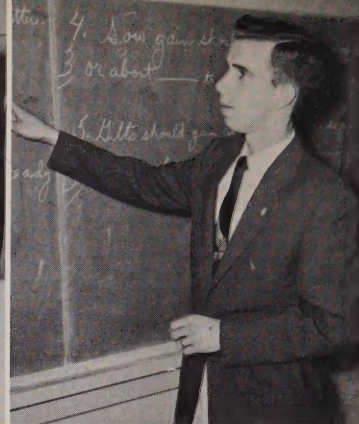
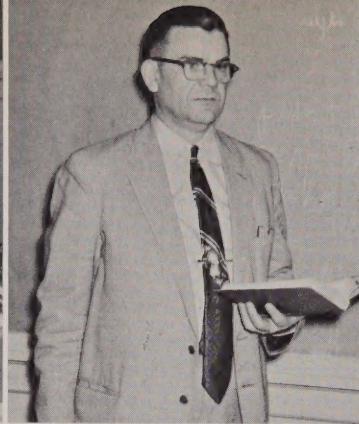




*We Are America . . .  
Where we are free to learn.*







TOP ROW, left to right: Mrs. Joan R. Patterson, Mr. Bernard W. Herrod, Mr. Elmer W. Crone, Mr. George A. Lipscomb.



Mrs. Vera R. Mussard, Mr. Benjamin I. Speicher

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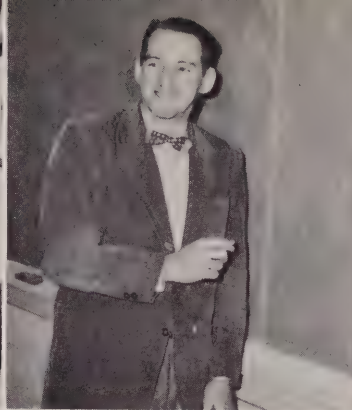
Custodians, Top picture, left to right: Mr. Irven Liller, Mr. Orville Kitzmiller, Mr. Frank Mulliken. Bottom picture: Mrs. Josephine Livengood, Mrs. Pauline Glaze, Mrs. Sybil Kope.



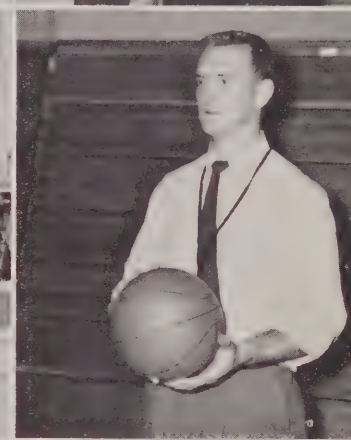
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TOP ROW: Mr. Ernest C. Spoerlein, Mr. Eugene M. Flinn, Mr. Harold H. Miller, Mr. Raymond E. Borrell.



Mrs. Margaret J. Feather, Mr. Carl W. Schoonover



Cafeteria Staff, left to right: Mrs. Mary Roth, Miss Mildred Beckman, Mrs. Anna Lee, Mrs. Edna Nicholson, Mrs. Mae Weimer, Mrs. Genevieve Friend, Mrs. Mary Rollman, manager.

# Faculty

Mrs. Grace S. Hogue, Mr. James H. Trickett



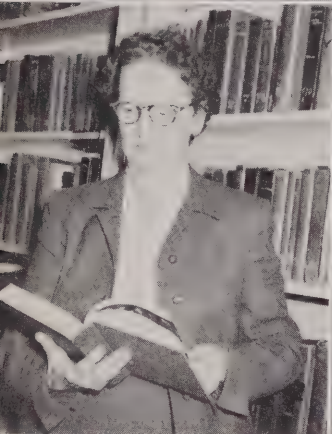
BOTTOM ROW: Mrs. Theoda R. Miller, Miss Elizabeth S. Kildow, Mrs. Mildred S. Meyer, Mr. Richard D. Bishoff.







TOP ROW, left to right: Miss Janet Lee Heyer, Mrs. Elizabeth Randol, Mr. Mason W. Callis, Mrs. Daisy D. Beachy



Mrs. Goldie B. Bittle, Mrs. Burnetta DeVore

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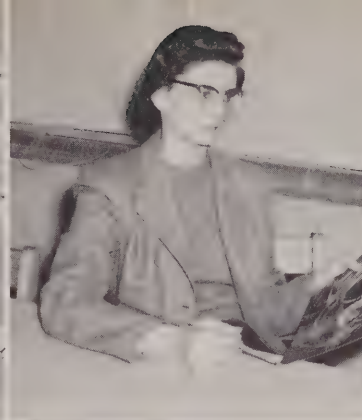
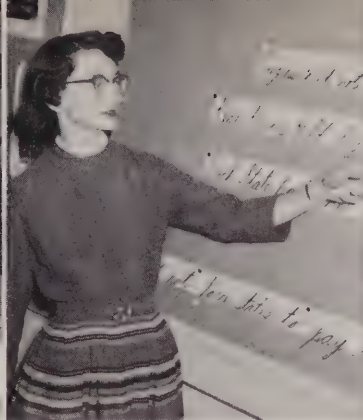


"The Night of January 16..."

BOTTOM ROW, left to right: Miss Roberta M. Cogley, Miss Barbara Lee Colabrese, Mr. Robert C. Long, Mrs. Janice Hutchinson







TOP ROW, left to right: Mrs. Virginia McManis, Mrs. Mary Herrod, Miss Frances Patterson, Mr. Robert Rodeheaver



"Not Guilty"...verdict by jury.



Mr. Carleton A. Hogue, Mr. Charles H. Burley

## Faculty

Mr. Paul E. Nagy, Mr. F. DeNeal Dean

BOTTOM ROW: Mr. Lloyd H. Winters, Miss Ann Dilgard, Mrs. Adrienne Carter, Mr. Lewis A. Domenick, Jr.

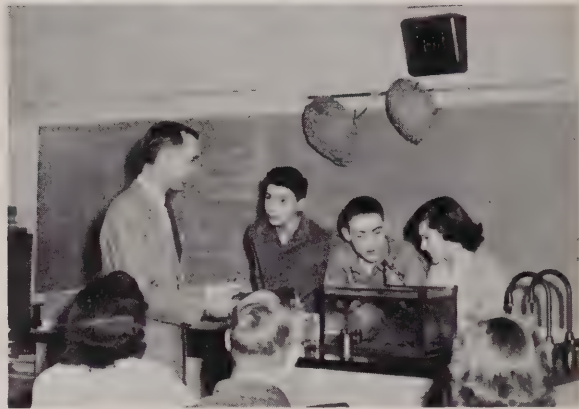






Learning to create

# *In the Classroom . . .*



Learning of the world about us



Learning to play together



Learning fundamental skill



Learning to be good homemakers



Learning to live wisely and happily



Learning to work together



Learning to use our hands





*We Are America . . .*

*where we recognize  
the worth of all  
individuals.*

BEVERLY  
WINTERS



# Dear Diary

What a history my diary records! I'll let you in on just a few of its secrets. Let's start back with the 8th grade...remember?

Sept., 1951..."Pasteboard Paradise"...my home for the year. Our 8th grade officers—Vonda Pike, president; Jack Mersing, vice-president; Frank DeWitt, treasurer; Janet Leighton, secretary.

May 27, 1952...8th grade picnic and the march to Weber's Field. Charles Mason won most of the ribbons.

Sept., 1952...Our first year at the new Southern High. Class officers of the 9th grade...Sam Moore, president; Frank DeWitt, vice-president; Delores Vetter, secretary; and Bill Sanders, treasurer.

Feb., 1953...9-A boys and girls won the Junior High Intramurals. Apr., 1953...Eight 9th grade boys made Varsity baseball team. May 7, 1953...Our first dancel "Moonlight Bay"...Ken Lane and his guitar plus Carolyn Dusic's pantomime.

Oct., 1953...Sophomores now and Beverly Winters, president; Bill Sanders, vice-president; Delores Vetter, secretary; Douglas Smith, treasurer.

Feb. 12, 1954..."Dance of Hearts"...first dance in the new gym...bunny-hopping in our socks.

March 9, 1954..."The Belle of Bagdad"...Barbara Biser, a dancer; George Lee, auto mechanic; Frank DeWitt, accomplice; and the sheik, Tommy Turney; also the costumed natives, dancers and tourists.

May, 1954...10th grade party with a spring setting and most of the girls tool

Sept., 1954...Football makes debut at Southern.

Oct. 19, 1954...Juniors elect Vonda Pike, president; Jack Mersing, vice-president; secretary, Betty Bittinger; and treasurer, Elaine Gnegy.

Oct. 20, 1954..."Sing For Your Supper", the Journalism play is presented. Remember the rehearsal the night before?

March 24, 1955..."Pickles" and eating pickles tool The cast: Jack Mersing, pickle king; George Lee, adv. expert for Jack;

## SENIOR STEERING COMMITTEE

William Sanders, Chairman

Left to right: Delores Vetter, Arveta Bell, William Moore, Robert Marley, William Sanders, Jack Roth, Milford Beckman, Patricia Gortner, Shirley Ritchie, Annis Friend



## SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

**BACK ROW:** William Moore, president; Milford Beckman, vice-president. **FRONT ROW:** Ruby Skotniski, secretary; Elaine Gnegy, treasurer.

Tom Turney, chief of police; Bruce MacMurray, gypsy; and Frank DeWitt, poor artist.

April 28, 1955...S.I.P.A. Conference...Doug Smith, Delores Vetter, Sam Moore, Beverly Winters and Pat Gortner head for Lexington.

May 20, 1955...Jr.-Sr. Prom..."Strangers in Paradise"...our work for those seniors! P.T.A. sponsored activities and a mid-night movie and thanks to parents for the all-night open house at the Country Club...early breakfast.

May 24, 1955...Sam Moore elected as next year's president of Student Council.

Sept. 6, 1955...Seniors at last! Doug Smith, editor of The Acorn and Delores Vetter, editor of the Highlander...19 seniors on the football team with Fred and Toby Colaw the captains. Sept. 21, 1955...Our last class officer elections show Bill Moore, president; Milford Beckman, vice-president; Ruby Skotniski, secretary; and Elaine Gnegy, treasurer.

Oct. 10, 1955...Janet Leighton is Autumn Glory Queen.

Oct. 18, 1955...Steve Wainer, Frank DeWitt, Arveta Bell, and Barbara Moon go to Baltimore for All-State Chorus.

Nov. 4, 1955..."Dear Ruth"...Dramatics club 3-act play.

Nov. 5, 1955...Football Dance and Beverly Winters is queen.

Nov. 14, 1955...14 senior students and Mrs. Beachy head for U.N...oh, those speeches later.

December, 1955..."Night of Jan. 16th"...12-E's mock wedding...Mary Jane Browning is "bride" and Dale Tasker, the "groom"...Christmas Formal Dance with theme of Winter Wonderland.

Feb. 20, 1956...Sr. Chorus does it again with Victor Herbert's "Babes in Toyland".

April 27, 1956...The spectacular Spring Musicale by Band and Sr. Chorus. Then our trip to Lexington again.

May 11, 1956...The Juniors gave us a wonderful Jr.-Sr. Prom tonight...a memory that won't be forgotten.

May, 1956...Busy weeks...the Awards Assembly...the Senior Assembly and the Senior Picnic.

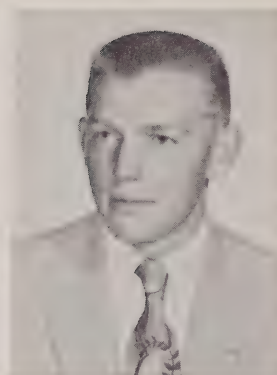
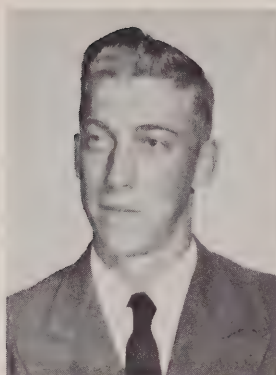
June 4, 1956...Sunday we heard the Sermon to the graduates. Tonight we graduated...the climax of our years at Southern. I wonder what will become of us. Won't it be fun to get together a few years from now and find out?







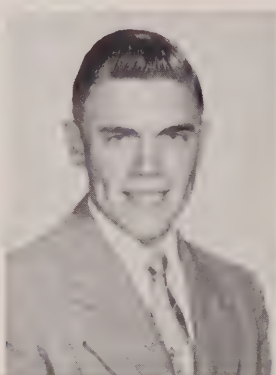
WINONA RUTH ALEXANDER, Vocational.  
F.H.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 11,12. "Nonie"...short 'n happy.  
AMY CATHERINE ANDERSON, Academic.  
F.T.A. 12; Band 9-12; Sr. Chorus 9-12; F.H.A. 9; Dramatics  
11; G.A.A. 11,12, treas. 11; Health Rm. Ass't. 12. "Squirt"  
...sweet.



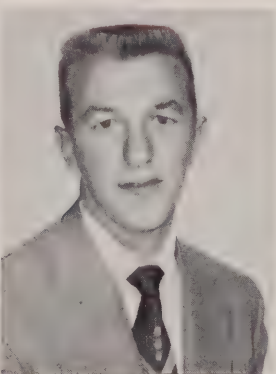
JOHN NEVIN BEACHY, Vocational.  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12. "Johnny"...mischievous.  
MILFORD EARL BECKMAN, General. *m/lena (Gervess) Wilt*  
Audio-Visual 9-12; Sr. Band 9-12; Sr. Chorus 12; Sr. Steering  
Comm. 12; Orchestra 11,12; Class Vice-Pres. 12. "Milf"...  
good sport.



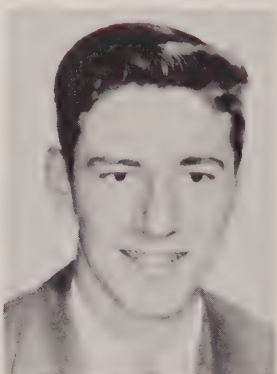
RUTH ALBERTA BECKMAN, Stenographic. *m/ Stclair*  
Sr. Chorus 11,12; F.B.L.A. 11, Vice-Pres. 11; G.A.A. 12.  
"Ruthie"...pleasant.  
ARVETA MARIE BELL, Academic.  
F.T.A. 11,12, treas. 12; Sr. Chorus 9-12; Lib. Ass't. 12; Sr.  
Steering Comm. 12; All-State Chorus 12; Autumn Glory Prin-  
cess 12. "Vetie"...unpredictable. *m/Don Savage*



RICHARD LAMBERT BERNARD, Vocational.  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12; "Rich"...fun-loving.  
BARBARA ANN BISER, Stenographic.  
Majorette 9-12; Head Majorette 11,12; Sr. Chorus 9-12;  
Cheerleader 9-12; G.A.A. 11,12. "Bobby"...energetic.

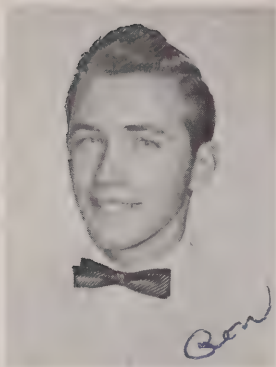


BETTY MARLENE BITTINGER, Stenographic. *m/ Paul Rodewick*  
Student Gov't. sec. 12; Band 8-11; Dramatics 11; All-State  
Band 11; U.N. Delegate 12; Class Sec. 11...Responsible.  
EDWARD HAYES BITTINGER, Academic.  
Band 7-12; "Highlandaires" quartet 12; Lib. Ass't. 10,12;  
Sr. Chorus 10-12. "Bitt"...sense 'n nonsense.



PATRICIA CAROL BITTINGER, General.  
Band 8-12; F.H.A. 10-12; G.A.A. 12. "Pat"...serene.  
FRANK JAMES BOLYARD, General.  
Baseball 11,12; Basketball 9. "Hoss"...shy.

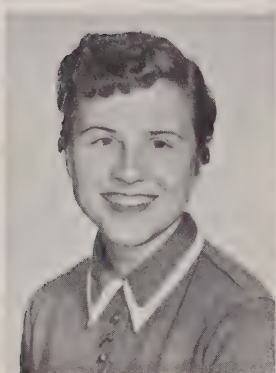




PAUL RONALD BOWERS, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12, Sec't. 9,10,11; U.N. Delegate 12; Soccer  
11. "Ronnie"... neat 'n well dressed.  
DORIS RUTH BROADWATER, Stenographic  
Acorn 9; F.H.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't 9,10,11...dainty and  
sweet.



RUTH LOUISE BROADWATER, Stenographic  
Sr. Chorus 10,11,12; F.H.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't 9,10,11.  
"Mayor"...friendly sense of humor.  
PAUL DONALD BROHAWN, General  
Band 9-12; Football 12; Baseball 11,12; Basketball 11,12;  
Letterman 11,12; Varsity Club 12; Sr. Chorus 11,12. "Cousy"  
...Southern's canary.



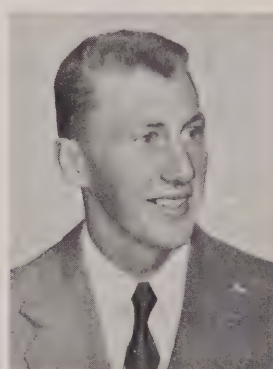
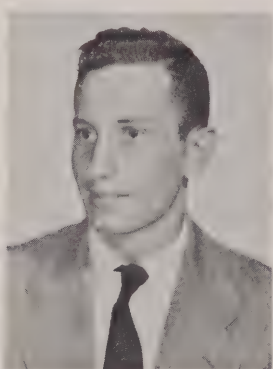
JACQUELINE ANN BROOKS, Stenographic  
Sr. Chorus 11,12; F.H.A. 11,12, Historian 12; Lib Ass't. 10.  
"Peanut"... talkative...peppy.  
MARY JANE BROWNING, Academic  
Acorn 11,12; Highlander 11,12; Sr. Chorus 9,11,12, treas.  
12; Dramatics 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 11,12. "Janie"...sophisti-  
cated... expressive eyes.



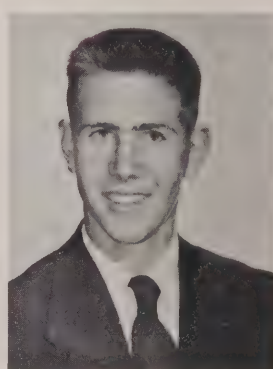
DORIS KAY BURRELL, Vocational  
F.H.A. 10,11,12. "Kay"...pleasantly quiet; neat.  
737 PAGE 14 .... ..Hi..; .... MH  
LA RUE EILEEN CALHOUN, General Business  
Band 8,9,10,11; F.H.A. 10,11,12. "Missie"...girl athlete.



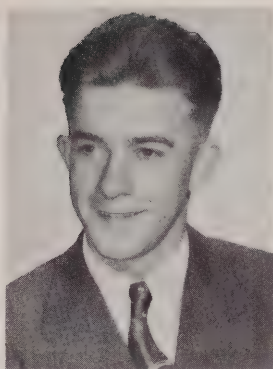
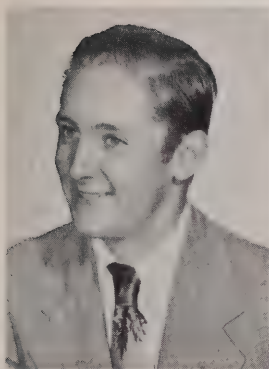
MARY ANN CALLIS, General Business  
Band 8,9,10,11; F.H.A. 9,11, Historian 11; F.T.A. 12; Lib.  
Ass't. 8,9,10...Future Teacher...giggly laughter.  
DON RAY COLAW, General  
Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Letterman 9-12; Football 11,12, Co-  
Captain 11,12; Track 10,11; Baseball 9-12; Basketball 8-12;  
Soccer 10; Varsity Club 12. "Toby"... mischievous... well  
liked.



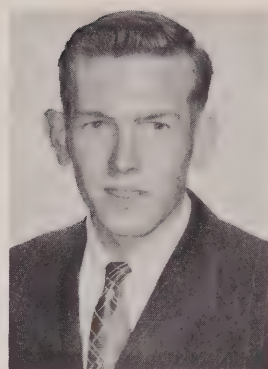
HOMER FREDERICK COLAW, General  
Lib. Ass't. 12; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Letterman 9-12; P.V.C.  
All Conference Football 12; Football 11,12, Co-Captain 11,  
12; Track 11; Baseball 9-12; Basketball 8-12; Soccer 10;  
Varsity Club 12; Caf't. Helper 12. "Fred"... winning smile  
and popular.  
GEORGE WILTON CULLERS, General  
Industrial Arts Club 12. "Weston"... real mischievous...  
funny.



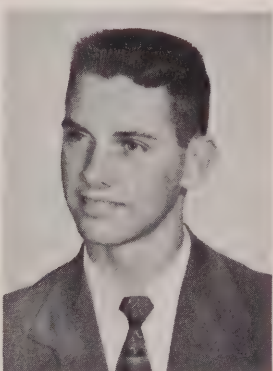
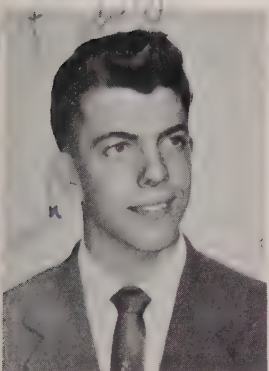




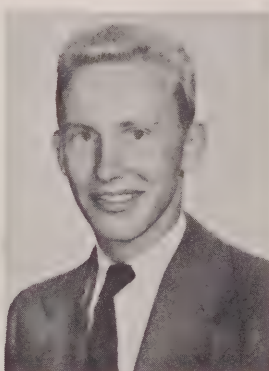
ARTHUR WILLIAM CULP, JR., General  
Band 8,9,10,11,12...cheerful and pleasant.  
LEO PAUL CUSTER, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12. "Lee"...short.



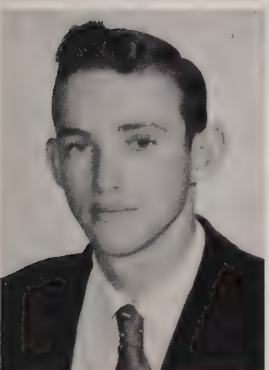
ALICE PERRY DAMON, Stenographic  
F.B.L.A. 11. "Bootsy"...petite...gay.  
DOUGLAS WADE DE BERRY, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12, Soccer 10. "Doug"...vociferous...devilish.



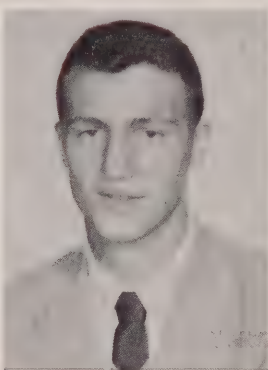
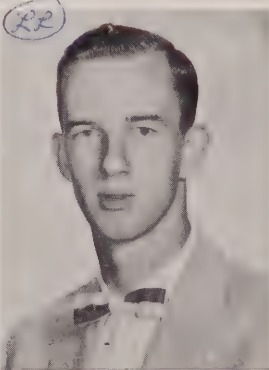
FRANK LEE DEWITT, Academic  
Band 7-12; Sr. Chorus 10,11,12, pres. 12; All-State Chorus  
11,12; "Highlandaires" Quartet; U. N. Delegate; Class  
Treas. 8...tenor...big wide grin.  
ROBERT DWIGHT DEWITT, General  
Sr. Chorus 11; Lib. Ass't. 12; "Bob"...serious...hunter.



FREDERICK WAYNE DILGARD, Academic  
Band 8,9,10; Sr. Chorus 10,11,12; Sr. Art Club 11,12; Lib.  
Ass't. 10; Sextette 12; Football 11,12; Track 10,11; Basket-  
ball 9,10,11,12. "Dexter"...blond, athlete...sparkling  
blue eyes.  
PHYLLIS LORENE DUMIRE, Stenographic  
F.B.L.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 12; Girls' Chorus 9; U. N. Delegate  
12. "Phyl"...talkative...studious

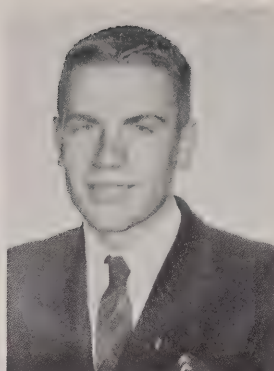


JAMES HARLAND DUNITHAN, General  
Cafeteria Helper 11,12; "Jim"...flirt...hunter.  
JO ANN ECHARD, General  
Acorn 11,12; Highlander 11,12; Dramatics 11,12; Lib. Ass't.  
11,12; Girls' Chorus 9. "Jo"...amiable.

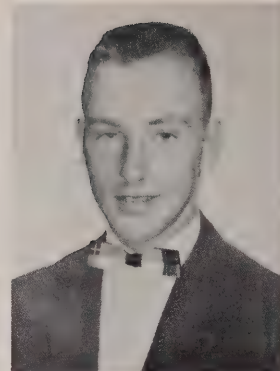


RICHARD EUGENE EDWARDS, General *m/Kay Weeks*  
Sr. Chorus 9; Cafeteria Helper 11,12; "Slim"...interesting  
...keen on everything.  
DALE EUGENE EVANS, General Business *m/Shirley Ritchie*  
Audio-Visual 11; Lib. Ass't. 11; Letterman 9-12; Football  
11,12; Soccer 9. "Shatz"...tall...dark 'n ambitious.

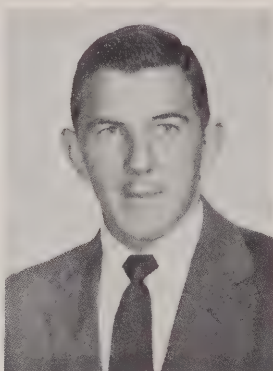




*Good Friend*  
ANNIS RAE FRIEND, Stenographic. *m/ Colaw*  
Sr. Chorus 9-12; F.H.A. 12; G.A.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 10; Sr. Steering Comm. 12. "Rae"...unpredictable.  
GEORGE RUFUS FRIEND, General.  
Quiet...individualistic.



JUDITH ANN GALLAGHER, Stenographic.  
Sr. Chorus 11,12; Dramatics 11. "Judy"...fun-loving.  
DANNY RAY GARRETT, Academic.  
Letterman 10-12; Football 11,12; Baseball 9-12; Varsity Club sec.-treas. 12; Basketball 9-12. "Yukon Dan"...sportsman.



LENA ROBERTA GLAZE, Stenographic. *m/*  
Sr. Art Club 11,12. "Hot Dog"...sincere.  
ROBERT LEONARD GLAZE, JR., Academic.  
Audio Visual 9-11; Sr. Chorus 9-12; Football 11,12; Varsity Club 12; Track 10,11; Baseball 9-11; Basketball 9-12. "Gunner"...roaming Romeo.



JANICE ANN GLOTFELTY, Academic. *m/ Lee Styer*  
Acorn typist 12; Highlander Bus. Mgr. 12; Dramatics 12; F.H.A. 11; Health Rm. Ass't. 12. "Jan"...rosy cheeks.  
ROGER PAUL GLOTFELTY, Vocational. *m/ Joana*  
F.F.A. 11,12, treas. 11; Vice-Pres. 12; Student Gov't. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 11; U.N. Delegate 12; Football 11,12; Baseball 9-12; Basketball 10; Soccer 10. "Beef"...jovial.

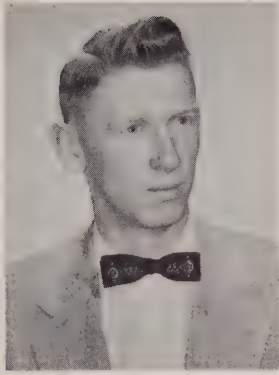


RUBY JUNE GNEGy, Stenographic.  
Student Gov't. 9,11,12, treas. 12; Sr. Chorus 11,12; F.H.A. 11,12, Vice-Pres. 11; Lib. Ass't. 10,11. "Rube"...gay.  
THELMA ELAINE GNEGy, Stenographic.  
Student Gov't. 12; F.H.A. 12; F.B.L.A. 11; Lib. Ass't. 11; Office Ass't. 12; Class treas. 11,12. "Eggy"...effectively efficient.



PATRICIA ANN GORTNER, Academic.  
Acorn 11,12; Highlander 11,12, Adv. Mgr. 12; Sr. Chorus 10-12; Dramatics 11,12, sec. 11; G.A.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 11,12; Sr. Steering Comm. 12. "Pat"...fashionable.  
CHARLES RAY GRUBB, General.  
Letterman 11,12; Football 11,12; Baseball Mgr. 10-12; Varsity Club 12; Basketball Mgr. 12. "Grubb"...pleasingly plump.





KATHERINE ANN HANLIN Academic *m/ Everett Skyer*  
F.T.A. 10,11,12, Sec. 12; Acorn 11,12; Highlander 11,12;  
Sr. Chorus 9-12; Lib. Ass't. 9-11; Quill & Scroll 11,12.  
"Kay"...enthusiastic...literary.  
HAROLD RAY HARSH, Vocational *m/ Joanne McKelvie*  
F.F.A. 10,11,12; Letterman 11,12; Football 11,12; Soccer  
11. "Blondie"...crew-cut and baby blue eyes.

*Always your friend*



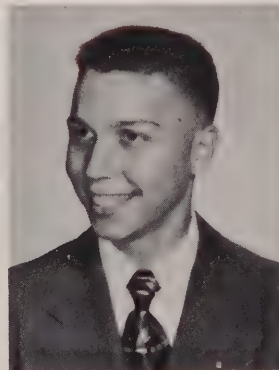
JIMMIE DALE HARVEY, General *m/ Judy Hays*  
Fishing Club 12. "Jim"...Happy-go-Lucky..."Ford man."  
JORETTA MARIE HENLINE, General  
F.H.A. 11; Lib. Ass't. 11. "Jo"...Future Nurse...companion.



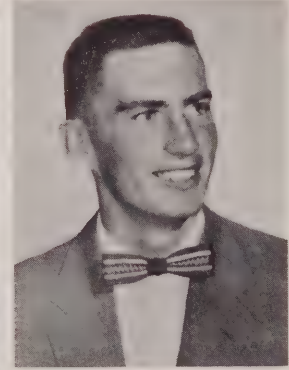
EDWARD QUINTON HINEBAUGH, General  
Sr. Chorus 11; Lib. Ass't. 11, 12. "Peabody"...reserved...  
friendly. *m/ Janet*  
RITA LOUISE HOLLER, Stenographic *m/ Neil Skovtzen*  
Student gov't. 10; Audio Visual 10, Sec. 10; Band 9,10,11;  
Sr. Chorus 10; F.H.A. 11,12...tidy...Well dressed.



ADA MARIE JACKSON, Stenographic *m/ Helen*  
Sr. Chorus 10,11,12; Lib. Ass't. 11...Capable...Diligent,  
LOIS CAROLYN JACKSON, Stenographic *m/ Monte Wilson*  
F.H.A. 9,10,12; G.A.A. 11,12; Cafeteria Helper 12...  
Beneficent...studious.

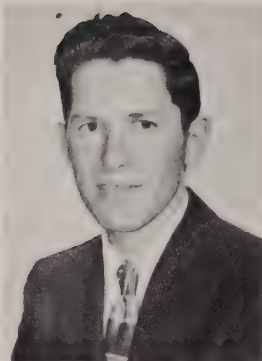


HARRY DONALD KISNER, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12...short and stocky.  
CHARLES JOSEPH KITZMILLER, General *m/ Peggy Martin*  
Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Track 11. "Charlie"...out-doorsman...  
considerate.



HELEN LOUISE KITZMILLER, Vocational  
F.H.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 11; Cafeteria Helper 12; Health  
Rm. Aide 11,12; Girls Chorus 9. "Mart"...domestic...  
efficient.  
ALLEN PERRY KNOTTS, General  
Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Letterman 9-12; Football 11,12; Baseball  
9-12; Basketball 9-12; Varsity Club 12. "Joker"...sports-  
man...goodlooking.





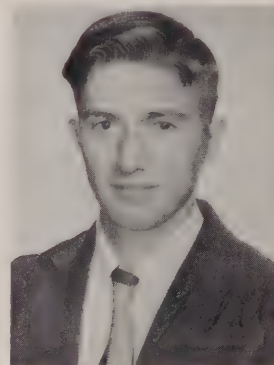
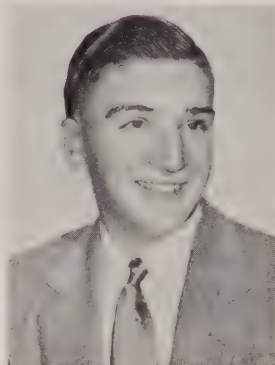
JAMES ARTHUR KREYENBUHL, Vocational *n/Pamela Sylvester*  
F.A.A. 9,10,11,12. "Jim" . . . just give him a golf course  
. . . someone nice to know.  
KENNETH LANE, General  
Radio and Electronics Club 12; Sr. Chorus 12; Acorn 12;  
Highlander 12. "Ken" . . . loves a joke . . . dark eyes . . .  
collected and composed.



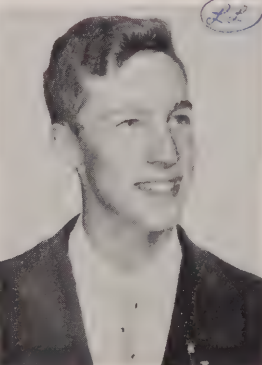
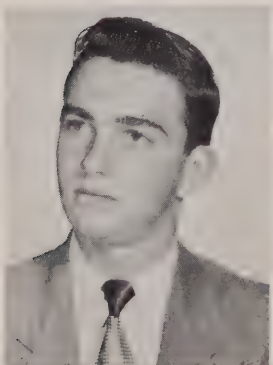
DAVID LESTER LEE, General  
Science 12. "Dave" . . . has served his country . . . indus-  
trious student . . . competent.  
GEORGE HARVEY LEE, Academic  
Highlandaires 11,12; P.V.C. All-Conf. team 12; Audio Visual  
10,11; Band 8,9,10; Sr. Chorus 9-12; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12;  
Varsity Club 12; Letterman 11,12; Football 11,12; Cross-Coun-  
try 10-11; Basketball 9,10,12. "Lob" . . . pigskin parader  
. . . hamburger lover . . . witty.



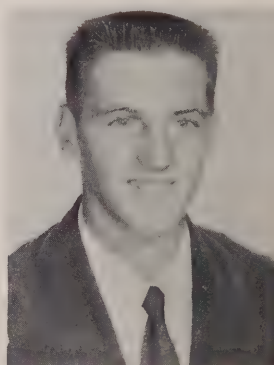
JANET RAE LEIGHTON, General Business  
Sr. Chorus 9,10,12, Sec. 12; Sr. Art Club 10,11; Lib. Ass't.  
9,10,11; Office Helper 12; Class Sec. 8; Autumn Glory Queen  
12. "Jan" . . . refined air . . . so neatly dressed . . . held  
in differential respect.  
HELEN MARIE LEWIS, Vocational  
F.H.A. 11,12; Cafeteria Ass't. 12; . . . home maker . . . a  
swell person to know . . . "Silence is golden."



RALPH WILSON LIVENGOOD, Vocational *m/due*  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12 . . . good humored . . . one-man guy . . .  
quiet.  
FREDERICK EUGENE LOHR, Vocational  
"Fred" . . . mischievous smile . . . shy . . . hunter.

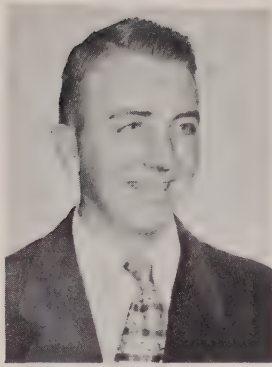
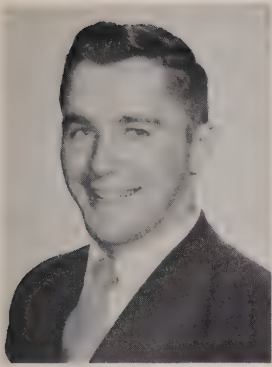


JOHN GUTHRIE LUKE, Academic  
Acorn 12, Sports Editor 12; Highlander 12, Sports Writer.  
"Johnny" : . . some guy, some car . . . Bruce's loss and  
Southern's gain . . . temperamental.  
BRUCE BRIAN MACMURRAY, Academic  
Radio & Electronics Club 12, Vice Pres. 12; Dramatics 11,12;  
Audio Visual 12; Sr. Chorus 10,11,12; Band 8,9,10. "Mac"  
. . . hard to understand but well worth knowing . . . argu-  
mentative . . . robust voice. *m*



JOANNE CATHERINE McROBIE, Academic *m/Harold Harsh*  
F.T.A. 10,11,12; Acorn Bus. Mgr. 12; Highlander Adv. Ass't.  
12; G.A.A. 12. "Jo" . . . dark eyes . . . cupid in disguise.  
ROBERT EUGENE MARLEY, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12; Football 11,12; Track 11,12; Baseball 10;  
F.F.A. Basketball 11,12. "Crow" . . . laughing eyes . . . tall  
tease . . . gridiron lad.





CHARLES WADE MASON, JR., Vocational *m/Perraine Beachy*  
 U.N. Delegate 12; F.F.A. 9-12, Reporter 9-11; Letterman 9,  
 10,11,12; Football 11,12; Track 9-12; Soccer 10. "Charlie"  
 . . . good natured . . . muscles . . . prospective farmer.  
 SAMUEL DUIQUID MAXEY, General  
 Baseball 11; Soccer 11. "Max" . . . crazy laugh . . . jokester  
 . . . lanky lad. *D/Dec '69*



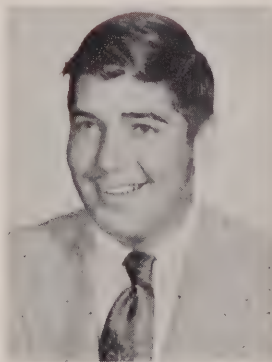
JACK IRVAN MERSING, General *m/Olivia Naylor*  
 Band 9-12; Sr. Chorus 9-12; Dramatics 11,12; Orchestra 12;  
 Basketball 9; Soccer 9; Class Vice Pres. 11 . . . loves 'em all  
 . . . fun loving . . . Casanova himself.  
 HELEN VIRGINIA METZ, Academic  
 Acorn 11,12; Highlander 11,12; Science Club 11; French Club  
 12, Pres. 12 . . . dependability plus . . . considerate pal . . .  
 short.



JERRY LEE MEYERS, General  
 Band 8-12; Science 10,11; Orchestra 11; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12;  
 Track 11 . . . the hair that girls love to touch . . . shy blush  
 . . . trumpeter.  
 BARBARA ADA MOON, Academic *m/Raymond Benston, from Canada*  
 Acorn 12; Highlander 12; Sr. Chorus 10,11,12; Sr. Art Club  
 11,12; U.N. Trip 12; Girls' Chorus 9; All-State Chorus 12.  
 "Barbie" . . . paronotical . . . diminutive tower of knowledge  
 . . . artistic.



*Rev.*  
 JOHN SAMUEL MOORE, Academic *m/ Rodeheaver*  
 Student Gov't 8-12, Vice Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Acorn Photographer  
 11,12; Highlander Photographer 11,12; Band 8-12; S.I.P.A.  
 11,12; U.N. Trip 11; Bladensburg Trip 11. "Sam" . . . pho-  
 tographer of good repute . . . a well earned limelight.  
 WILLIAM MORGAN MOORE, General  
 Band 8,9,10,11,12; Sr. Chorus 11,12; Orchestra 12; Class  
 Pres. 12. "Buyer" . . . crewcut . . . personality . . . high  
 stepping drum major. *(St. Trooper)*



DELORES JEAN MORELAND, General *D/*  
 F.H.A. 11,12; Cafeteria Ass't. 12; Girls' Chorus 9. "Dee" . . .  
 jolly . . . a friend indeed . . . even tempered.  
 RICHARD REAM MUSSARD, Academic  
 Baseball 11; Acorn 12; Highlander 12. "Dick" . . . unpre-  
 DICKtable . . . nonchalant . . . takes life as it is.



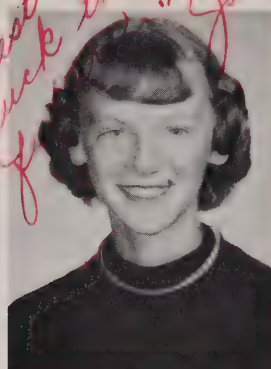
MARY ANN NALLY, Academic  
 Acorn 11,12, "Wittle Put-Put" 12; Highlander typist 11,12;  
 Dramatics 12; G.A.A. 10; Health Rm. Ass't. 12. "Dirty Bird"  
 . . . Infectious laughter . . . sense and nonsense . . . future  
 nurse.  
 SANDRA LOU NICHOLS, Academic  
 Sr. Chorus 11,12; Dramatics 11,12; G.A.A. 10,11,12; Lib.  
 Ass't. 12; Girls' Chorus 9. "Sandy" . . . pert and cute . . .  
 wavy hair and twinkling eyes . . . daredevil.





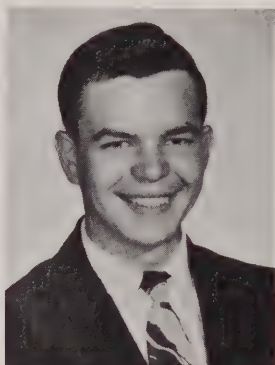
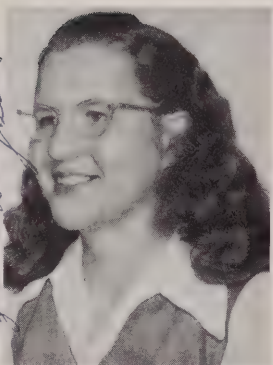
ELEANOR CHRISTINA O'BRIEN, Stenographic  
Acorn 9; Band 9-12; F.B.L.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 9,10,11;  
Girls' Chorus 9... meticulous... businesslike.  
SHIRLEY JUNE O'BRIEN, Stenographic  
Band 9; F.B.L.A. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 9-12; Girls' Chorus 9.  
"Red"... lots of fun... noisy.

*Best of the  
luck for the  
"Jo"*



JOSEPHINE MARION PAUGH, General  
G.A.A. 10; Lib. Ass't. 11,12; Cafeteria Helper 10,12. "Jo"  
... likable... red hair... peaceable.  
VONDA JEAN PIKE, General  
Sr. Chorus 10; Dramatics 11,12; Lib. Ass't 9,10,11; U. N.  
Trip 11; Girls' Chorus 9; Autumn Glory Princess 12; Class  
pres. 8,11. "Von"... vivacious... liked by all.

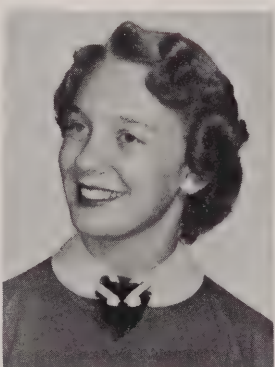
*Elizabeth Pyrell*



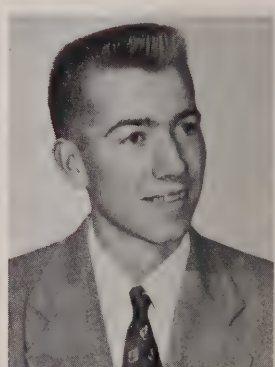
ELIZABETH EMMA PYSELL, Vocational  
Science Club 11, Girls' Chorus 9. "Liz"... industrious...  
sociable.  
BURTON ROSS REXRODE, General  
Audio Visual 9,10,11,12; Dramatics 11,12. "Two Gun"...  
Happy-Go-Lucky... mechanic.



CAROLINE RHODES, General *m/Charles Hudson*  
Dramatics 12. "Cub"... neat 'n perk... dancer.  
JUNE ELIZABETH RHODES, General  
Band 9; Photo. Club 12; Science Club 11. What a sense  
of humor... witty.

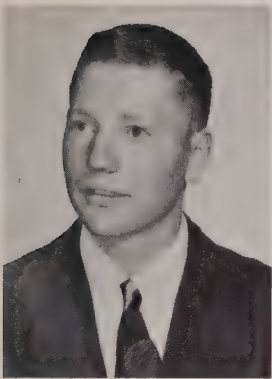


ARTHUR JACKSON RIDDER, General  
F.F.A. 9,10,11; Amateur Radio and Electronics Club 12.  
"Jack"... slow and easy-going.  
SHIRLEY JEANNE RITCHIE, Academic *m/Dale E. Evans*  
Acorn 11,12; Band 8-12; Sr. Chorus 9,10; Cheerleader 8,9;  
Lib. Ass't. 11; Sr. Steering Comm. 12. "Shirl"... attractive  
... winsome.

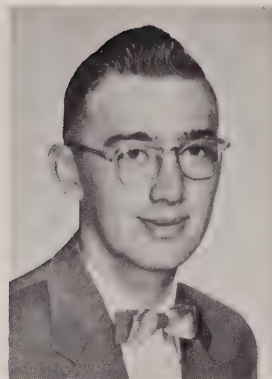
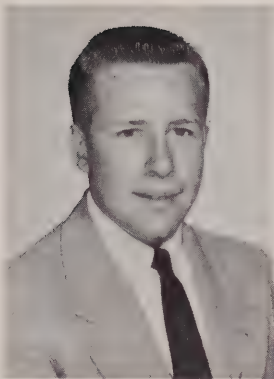


NORMA JEAN RODERICK, General *m/Anthony Dankolich*  
Band 9; F.H.A. 9,10,11,12; Sec. 12. "Hot Rod"... good-  
natured... rebellious.  
JACK MARVIN ROLF, Academic  
Acorn 11,12; Highlander 11,12; Sr. Chorus 12; Dramatics  
11,12; Lib. Ass't. 12; U. N. Delegate 12... motorcyclist...  
sunny personality.

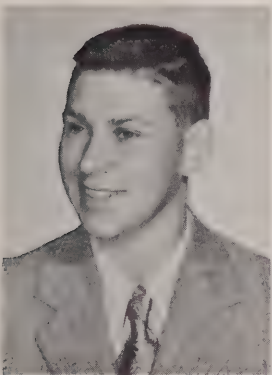
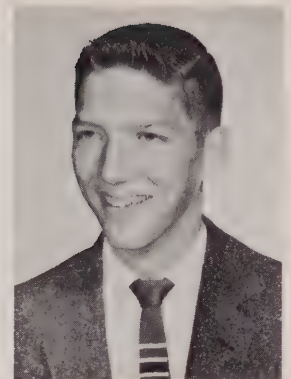




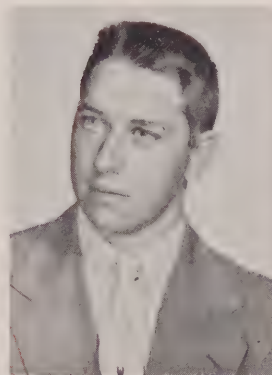
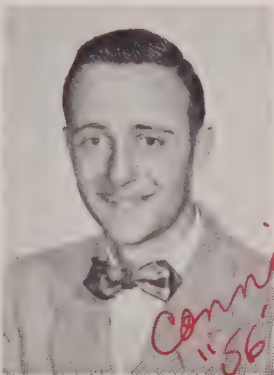
CECIL RAY ROTH, General  
F.F.A. 9; Baseball 11; "Cec"...knows more than you think he does.  
JACK ARNOLD ROTH, Academic  
Student Gov't. 12; Band 9-12; Sr. Chorus 12; Orchestra 11,12; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; U. N. Trip 12; Sr. Steering Comm. 12; Cross Country 11; Track 10,11; Basketball mgr. 10,12. "Lonesome George"... excels... Gobel's double.



JOHN FRANK RUFF, General *m/Nancy*  
Phys. Ed. 12; Letterman 9-12; Football 11,12; Track 10,11,12; Basketball 9-12; Varsity Club 12. "Little John"... moody... athletic.  
WILLIAM FRANCIS SANDERS, Academic  
Letterman 11,12; Steering Comm. 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 9; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Track 10; Basketball 8-12; Class V.P. 10; Treas. 9. "Willie"... capable... tall 'n lanky.



CLINTON JUNIOR SAVAGE, General  
"Bud"... always ready for a fight.  
STANLEY CORNELIUS SAVAGE, Academic *Di* 1979  
Band 10,11,12; Dramatics 11,12; Track 9; Sr. Chorus 11,12. "Connie"... hot-rod... good looking.  
*m/Mary Beckman*



ROBERT LESTER SHANK, General *D/* 199  
Radio and Electronics Club 12. "Bob"... artistic... farmer by trade.  
BETTY JEAN SHARPLESS, Stenographic  
Sr. Chorus 10,11; F.B.L.A. 11; Reporter 11; Lib. Ass't. 10; Office Helper 12; U. N. Delegate 12... ambitious... intelligent.



MARGUERITE ELAINE SHILLINGBURG, General *m/Don*  
Band 8,9; F.H.A. 12; Girls' Chorus 9. "Margie"... petite features... cute smile.  
CLARA MAE SISLER, Vocational *m/Robert 'Labbit' Johnson*  
F.H.A. 10,11,12; Treas. 12; Cafeteria Helper 12; Office *Di* Helper 11,12. "Dusty"... lively but changeable... gay. *ReM/*  
*Sisler*



PEGGY GLENDINE SISLER, Stenographic  
Student Gov't. 9; Girls' Chorus 9. "Peg"... blonde... serious and neat.  
RUBY ELIZABETH SKOTNISKI, Stenographic  
F.H.A. 12; F.B.L.A. 11; Treas. 11; G.A.A. 12; Treas. 12; Lib. Ass't. 10; Office Ass't. 11,12; Class treas. 12. "Rube"... roller skater... peppy personality.



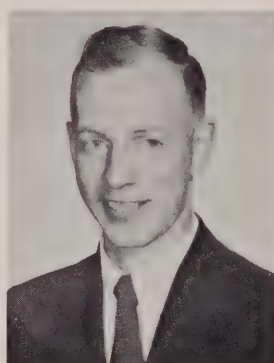
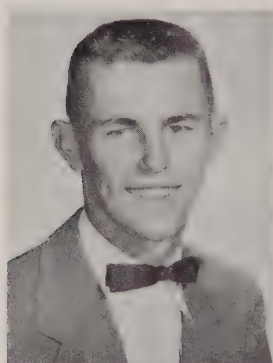




BERNADINE DELORES SMITH, Stenographic  
F.B.L.A. 11; Lib. Ass't. 11; Cafeteria Ass't. 12. "Bernie" charmingly sweet . . . ring on her finger . . . jolly lass.  
DOUGLAS ELLSWORTH SMITH, Academic  
Student Gov't. 9; Acorn 11,12, Ass't. Ed. 11, Ed. 12; Highlander 11,12; Chorus 9-11; Dramatics 11,12, Treas. 11; Lib. Ass't. 9,10,12; Track 9; Quill & Scroll 11,12; Letterman 9; U.N. Trip 11; S.I.P.A. 11,12; Class Treas. 10. "Doug" . . . proficient . . . good-humored . . . nose for news.



HUBERT LEON SMITH, General  
Sr. Chorus 11,12; Baseball 11. "Blue" . . . real Southerner . . . tall and individualistic . . . asset to SHS.  
PATRICIA ANN SOLLARS, General  
Band 9; Sr. Chorus 11,12; F.H.A. 11,12; G.A.A. 10,11,12, Pres. 12; Girls' Chorus 9; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12. "Patty" . . . practical joker . . . shoot 'em high . . . laughing personality.

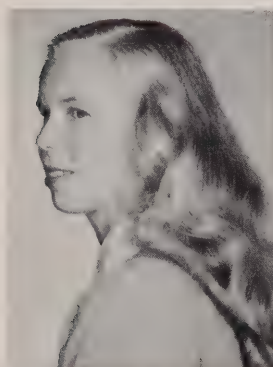


FRANCIS ALLEN SOWERS, General  
Sr. Chorus 10; Cafeteria Ass't. 12; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Letterman 10,11,12; Varsity Club 12; Football 11,12; Track 10,11,12; Basketball 10. "Skip" . . . crazy legs . . . sense and non-sense . . . track man.  
ROBERT GENE SPEICHER, General  
All-State Band 12; Band 9,10,11,12; Track 9. "Bob" . . . bass hornist . . . tall and bashful . . . marching along.

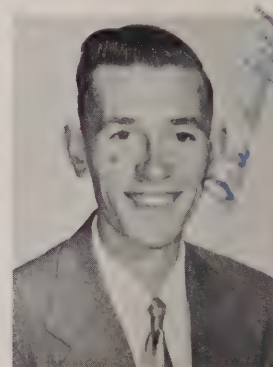
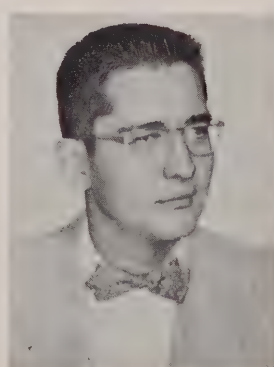


ALICE ELAINE SPOERLEIN, General Business  
Girls' Chorus 9; F.H.A. 12. "Laney" . . . classy and attractive . . . dark hair and eyes . . . classic featured.  
BONNIE JEAN STEIDING, Academic  
F.T.A. 10,11,12; Band 9; Lib. Ass't. 12. "Boney" . . . conscientious . . . garrulous . . . keeps 12C happy.

*n/Ron Sunny*

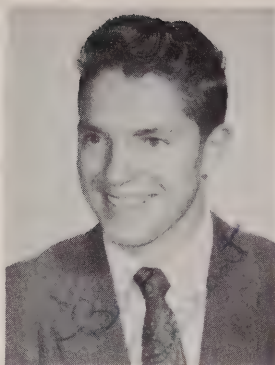


FRANCES LEE STINE, Stenographic  
F.H.A. 11,12; Girls' Chorus 9. "Franny" . . . long, golden tresses . . . sunny personality . . . pleasing disposition.  
OMA KATHALEEN STRAWSER, Stenographic  
Library Assistant 12 . . . quiet type but so dependable . . . sweet and pensive.



BRUCE THEODORE SWIFT, General  
Student Gov't. 8,9; Audio Visual 8,9,10,11,12; Dramatics 11,12; Cross Country and Track Mgr. 11. "Jake" . . . Explorer . . . Nash man . . . kind to homeless pets.  
RODNEY DALE TASKER, General  
Sr. Chorus 12. "Dale" . . . 12E's Groom . . . unpredictable . . . bashful grin.

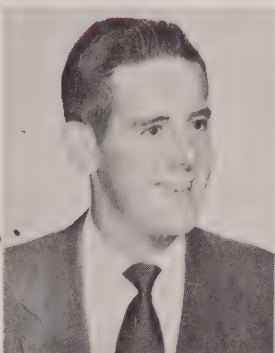




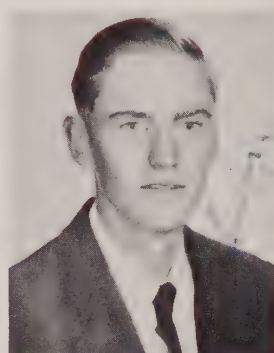
WEBSTER ALPHONSO TASKER, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12 . . . blond . . . sportsman . . . easy going.  
ROBERT HENRY TERRANT, Vocational  
Audio Visual 12; F.F.A. 9,10,11,12. "Bob" . . . fun loving  
. . . mischievous . . . ambitious.



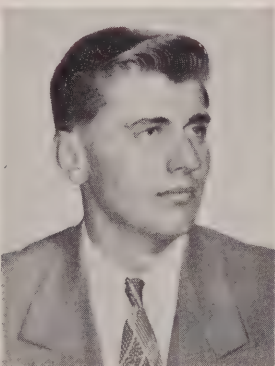
VIRGINIA MAE THAYER, Stenographic  
Band 9,10,11,12; F.H.A. 12; F.B.L.A. 11; Girls' Chorus 9.  
"Dinnie" . . . pixy . . . gleeful . . . giggles.  
SHIRLEY MAXINE TRESSLER, Stenographic  
Sr. Chorus 9,10; Cafeteria Ass't. 10; Highlander typist 12 . . .  
Northern's loss, SHS's gain . . . pert and cute.



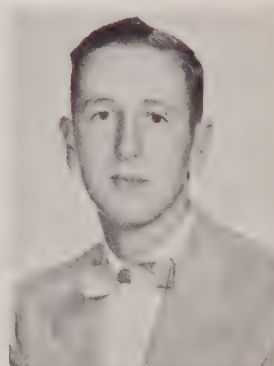
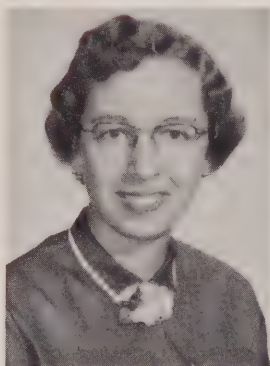
CHARLOTTE ANN TROY, General  
Sr. Art Club 10,11,12; Autumn Glory Princess 12; Lib. Ass't.  
10. "Ann" . . . tall blond . . . career girl.  
THOMAS FRANCIS TURNEY, General  
Acorn 9,10; Audio Visual 12; Band 9; Sr. Chorus 10,11,12;  
Cheerleader 10,11,12; Cafeteria Ass't. 10,11,12. "T.T." . . .  
witty showman . . . well known . . . Southern's Fred Astaire.



DELORES JEAN VETTER, Academic  
F.T.A. 10, Vice Pres. 11, Pres. 12; Acorn 8,11,12; Highlander  
11,12, Ass't. Ed. 11, Editor 12; G.A.A. 11,12, Sec. 11; Phys.  
Ed. Ass't. 12; Quill & Scroll 11,12; U.N. Delegate 12; Class  
Sec. 10,11; Sr. Steering Comm. 12; S.I.P.A. Trip 11,12; Girls'  
Chorus 9. "Poogie" . . . competent . . . thorough . . . under-  
standing.  
ERWIN ANDRE WAGNER, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12; Soccer 11. "Bliss" . . . rebellious . . . girl  
shy . . . timid around females.

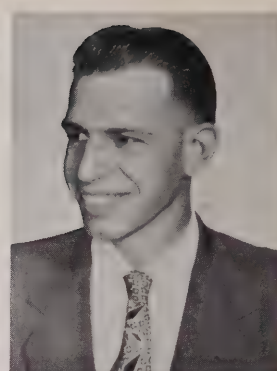
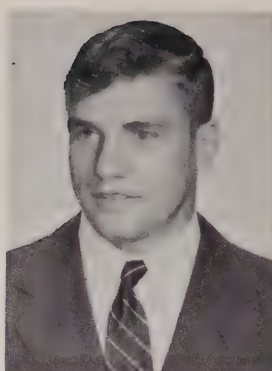
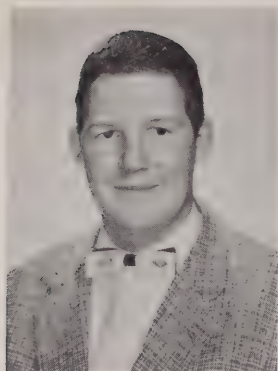


STEPHEN WOODDELL WAINER, Academic  
Band 9,10,11,12; Sr. Chorus 9,10,11,12; Orchestra 12; "High-  
landaires" 9,10,11,12; All-State Chorus 12. "Steve" . . .  
tell-tale eyes . . . exaggerator . . . dancing feet.  
ROBERT PAUL WALLA, General  
F.F.A. 9,10,11; Amateur Radio Club 12, Pres. 12; Letterman  
11,12; Football 11,12; Track 10,11. "Bob" . . . "Radio-  
Active" . . . brains and personality . . . scientific mind.



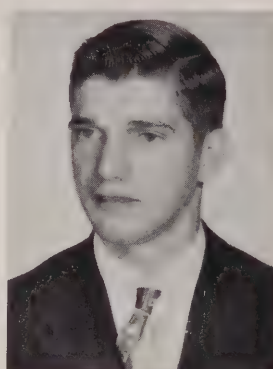
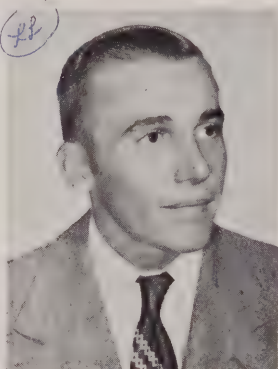
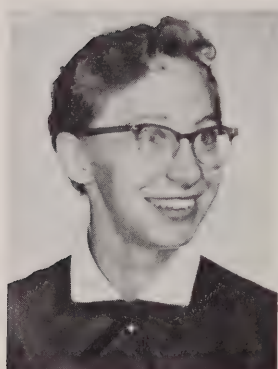
JANET WILMA WAYBRIGHT, Stenographic  
F.B.L.A. 11,12, Vice-Pres. 12; U.N. Delegate 12 . . . diligently  
attentive . . . conscientious.  
DONALD PAUL WELCH, General m *James W. Hall*  
Lib. Ass't. 10; Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Letterman 9,10,11,12; Foot-  
ball Mgr. 11,12; Track Mgr. 11; Baseball Mgr. 9,10,11,12;  
Basketball Mgr. 10,11; Soccer Mgr. 10. "Willie" . . . "Sporty"  
carefree . . . "I'll betcha."





WILLIAM GEORGE WELCH, General *m/Linda Speicher Hayer*  
Band 9; Sr. Chorus 11,12; Lib. Ass't. 12; Cafeteria Helper  
11. "Bill"... cute blush... jolly.  
MONTE OWEN WILSON, Vocational  
F.F.A. 9,10,11,12. "Bud"... outdoorsman... jokester.

SAMUEL JUNIOR WILSON, General *m/Connie* *D/*  
Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12; Football 11. "Junior"... guardsman...  
lover of football.  
HOWARD WAYNE WILT, General *m/*  
Easy going... friendly... mature.



BEVERLY LOU WINTERS, Academic  
Art Ass't. 12; Acorn artist 11,12; Highlander Art Ed. 11,12;  
Cheerleader 9-12; Head cheerleader 12; Sr. Art Club 11,12,  
pres. 11; G.A.A. 11,12, V.P. 11; Class pres. 10; Autumn  
Glory Princess 12. "Bebby"... peppy 'n perky.  
HERBERT EUGENE WOLF, General  
"Herb"... teasing sportsman... loquacious... mischievous.

THOMAS ANTHONY WOLF, JR., General  
Phys. Ed. Ass't. 12. "Tom"... somnolent but real likable. *D/*  
JAMES RONALD WRIGHT, General  
Cafeteria Helper 11,12; Football 11,12; Track 11; Baseball  
11; "Bodex"... congenial.



SHIRLEY JEAN YODER, Stenographic  
Lib. Ass't. 11; Autumn Glory Princess 12... genuine lady  
... sweet and serious.

### Unphotographed

ERNEST TAVNER PETERS, General  
"Ernie"... new student.  
JOHN ROGER REINER, General  
Amateur. Radio and Electronics Club 12... reliable... in-  
dustrious.



# Who's Who . . . Seniors of 1956



Bill Moore  
Mr. President



Ronnie Bowers  
Mr. F.F.A. Reporter



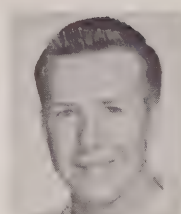
Mary Jane  
Browning  
Miss Actress



Jack Mersing  
Mr. Actor



Barbara Moon  
Miss Student



Jack Roth  
Mr. Student



Fred Colaw  
Mr. Athlete



Toby Colaw  
Mr. Sports



Delores Vetter  
Miss Highlander  
Editor



Barbara Biser  
Miss Majorette



Betty Bittinger  
Miss Secretary



John Luke  
Mr. Sports Editor



Douglas Smith  
Mr. Acorn Editor



Richard Bernard  
Mr. F.F.A. President



Sam Moore  
Mr. Student  
Government



Elaine Gnegy  
Miss Treasurer



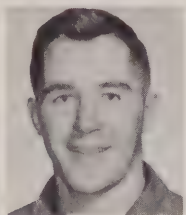
Tom Turney  
Mr. Performer



Beverly Winters  
Miss Artist



Bob Walla  
Mr. Scientist



Charles Mason  
Mr. F.F.A.



Frank DeWitt  
Mr. Music



Janet Leighton  
Miss Autumn Queen



Pat Gortner  
Miss F.F.A.  
Sweetheart



Roger Glotfelty  
Mr. Citizen

*Co Commissioner*

**Autumn Glory Queen and Princesses.** These six girls were chosen to represent Southern High at the county Autumn Glory Festival. They are left to right: Janet Leighton, Ann Troy, Arvesta Bell, Shirley Yoder, Beverly Winters, and Vonda Pike.

**United Nations Trip Delegates.** These fourteen students were chosen because of their leadership ability, personality and scholastic attainment. **FIRST ROW**, left to right: Mrs. Daisy D. Beachy, adviser, Barbara Moon, Clara Sisler, Delores Vetter, Betty Sharpless, Janet Waybright, Betty Bittinger, Phyllis Dumire. **BACK ROW**, left to right: Jack Roth, Jack Rolf, Frank DeWitt, Bill Moore, Roger Glotfelty, Ronnie Bowers, and Charles Mason.







Pictured left to right are the Junior Class Officers visiting the Conference Center. They are Patty Winters, Barbara Lu Winters, John Brown and Helen Browning.

# JUNIORS

## CLASS OFFICERS

Wednesday, September 21, was the day the junior class went to the polls to elect officers for the year of 1955-56. These elections brought Helen Browning the presidency, John Brown the vice presidency, Barbara Lu Glotfelty the secretarial position, and Patty Winters the job of treasurer.

The main social event for the Juniors this year was the planning of the annual Junior-Senior Prom.

## 11 A



**TOP ROW:** Norma Alexander, Mary Bachtel, Willis Bolyard, Gladys Bray, Alberta Broadwater, Glenn Butts

**SECOND ROW:** Ernest Colaw, Clara Cooper, Richard Crosier, Sue Cullers, Emma Filsinger, Delbert Friend

**THIRD ROW:** William George, Donald Grubb, Martha Herman, Olia Holtschneider, Tom Jackson, James Lane.

**FOURTH ROW:** Betty McRobie, Margaret Nethkin, Elwood Parks, Harold Park, David Parrish, James Pike

**FIFTH ROW:** Roberta Sanders, Shirley Schaffer, Mary Spencer, Joseph Stemple, James Tasker, Patricia Winters, Mary Wood.



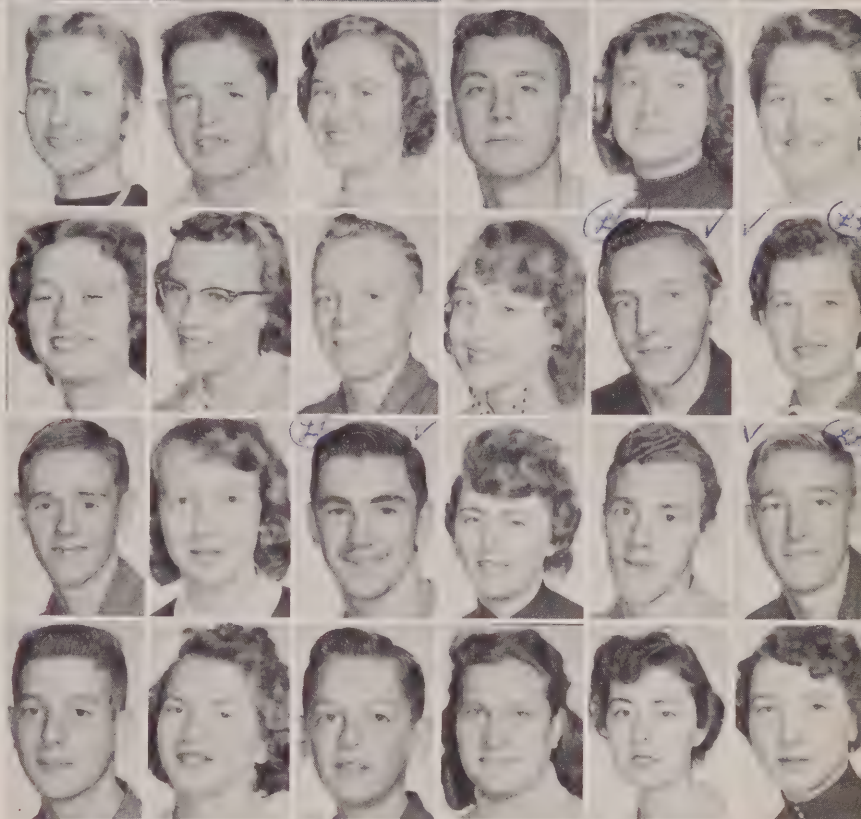
# 11 B



**TOP ROW:** Bennie Beckman, Helen Beeman, Loretta Bowser, Helen Browning, Jackie Calhoun, Shirley Childs, Betty Ann De Berry.

**SECOND ROW:** Libby Dilgard, Eddie Fry, Nada Fulk, Tom Graham, Lora Guthrie, Margaret Haddix.

**THIRD ROW:** Sylvia Halsey, Alice Hefner, Lowell Kessel, Rose Landon, Henry Lee, Helen Martin.

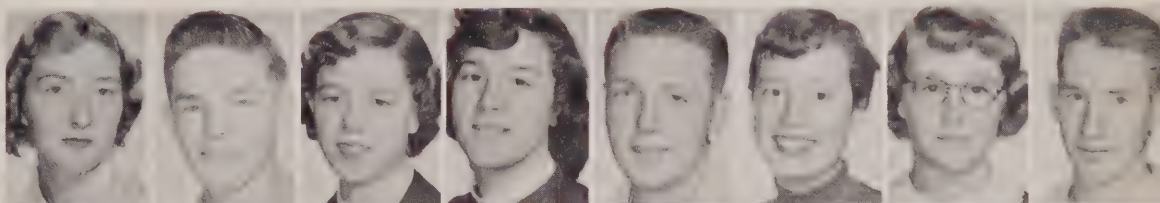


**FOURTH ROW:** Howard Paugh, Modena Rhodes, Donald Riley, Louise Rohrbaugh, Roy Sanders, Richard Tasker.

**FIFTH ROW:** Fred Teets, Norma Teets, Sonny Vetter, Betty Wilson, Sally Wilson, Coleen Wolfe. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Tom Glotfelty, Harold Selders.

**TOP ROW:** Barbara Beckman, James Beeghly, Jessie Bittner, Yvonne Bowser, John Brown, Freda Cooper, Thelma Cummings, Roger De Berry. **SECOND ROW:** Twila Durr, Audrey Friend, Margaret Friend, Webster George, Barbara Glotfelty, Vivian Harvey, Elaine Holtschneider, Earl Kight, William Kope. **THIRD ROW:** Leona Liller, Carrie O'Haver, David Otto, Margaret Peck, Ted Raynovich, Anna Reckart, Catharine Rinehart, Lois Rodeheaver, Thelma Rodeheaver. **FOURTH ROW:** Judy Rubenstein, Patience Sines, William Swiger, Leo Tasker, Bryan Thayer, Lola Weimer, James Wilt, Wanda Wilt, Joanne Wotring. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Dick Nace.

# 11 C







## 11 D

**TOP ROW:** Evelyn Baker, Donna Beckman, Thomas Bittinger, James Boice, Patricia Bower, Betty Butts, Helen Cummings, Walter DeBerry. **SECOND ROW:** Patty DeWitt, Alta Dixon, Jane Duling, Leonard Durr, Dorothy Glotfelty, Leonard Hathaway, Waller Hoyer, Garnet Keefer. **THIRD ROW:** Doris Lawson, Linda Lewis, Richard Markley, Harry Martin, Clifford Moon, Charlotte Munday, Harold Murphy, Lonnie Rodeheaver. **FOURTH ROW:** John Roth, Jeanette Sanders, JoAnn Steiding, James Teets, William Welch, Patsy Werdebaugh. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Arthur Fitzwater, Janice Sines.



## 11 E

**TOP ROW:** Delores Beckman, Mary Bernard, Betty Biser, Gary Bittinger, Shirley Campbell, Helen Cullers.

**SECOND ROW:** Bill Deckman, Jack DeWitt, Donald Evans, Sandra Evans, Samuel Glotfelty, Joy Hamill.

**THIRD ROW:** Joe Harvey, Robert Harvey, Patricia Hughes, Lyle Lee, Susie Mersing, Edward Mulvey.

**FOURTH ROW:** David Paugh, Kenneth Peck, Glen Rohrbaugh, William Sears, Betty Shaffer, Robert Shiffy.

**FIFTH ROW:** Anita Sleeth, Dorothy Tasker, Joyce Thayer, Patsy Vance, Richard Weeks, Charlotte Welch, Dortha Williams. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Rosalie Liller, Walter Sines.





# SOPHOMORES

## CLASS OFFICERS

Tenth grade classes cast their votes for officers on Friday, October 7, 1955. The balloting showed, pictured left to right, **FIRST ROW:** secretary, Janice Jenkins; treasurer, Artie Ashby. **BACK ROW:** Delores Riley, president; Neva Bowers, secretary.

## 10 A

**TOP ROW:** Gayle Beckman, Carol Jane Beeman, Neva Bowers, Wayne Bray, Cora Cosner, Mary Davis.

**SECOND ROW:** Donald De Witt, Joyce Evans, Katherine Filsinger, Alvey Friend, Pat Friend, Ronald Glaze.

**THIRD ROW:** Jimmy Holler, Rose James, Ann Johnson, John King, Janet Lee, Leon Liller.

**FOURTH ROW:** Ronald Michaels, Patricia Miller, Raymond O'Brien, Ruby Park, Frances Paugh, Nancy Rhodes.

**FIFTH ROW:** Audley Riley, Patricia Shaffer, Russell Shank, JoAnn Sharpless, Robert Shreve, Susan Sines.

**SIXTH ROW:** Robert Smith, Denver Sweitzer, Pauline Tichinel, Mable Welch, Norma White, Sandra Worring.

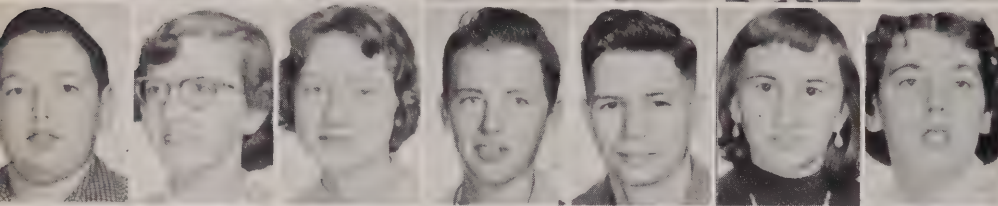






**TOP ROW:** Mary Beckman, Raymond Butts, Roger Custer, Bonnie Dragovich, Burton Durr, Donna Fike, Phillip Fike,

Had luck always  
to a real sweet girl  
- Ben -



**SECOND ROW:** Ralph Glover, Nancy Harvey, Clarette Helmick, Jack Holt-schneider, Richard Kitzmiller, Mary Knox, Barbara Kreyenbuhl.



**THIRD ROW:** Velma Lewis, Robert Maxey, Robert Peck, Judith Rhodes, Dortha Riley, Gay Roth, Marilyn Sanders.



**FOURTH ROW:** Mayo Shreve, Terry Skipper, David Snyder, Mary Sollars, Ray Sweitzer, Patty Warren, Catherine Wilson. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Arden Green.

UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Arden Green.

8 out of 10  
to a good amount  
of grain

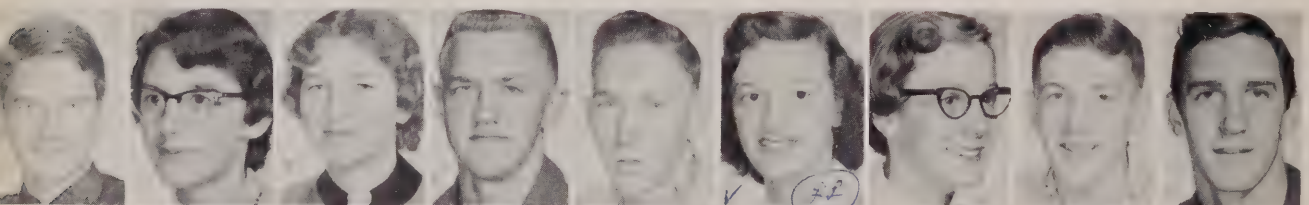
Best of luck  
to a small  
Dachshund

10 B

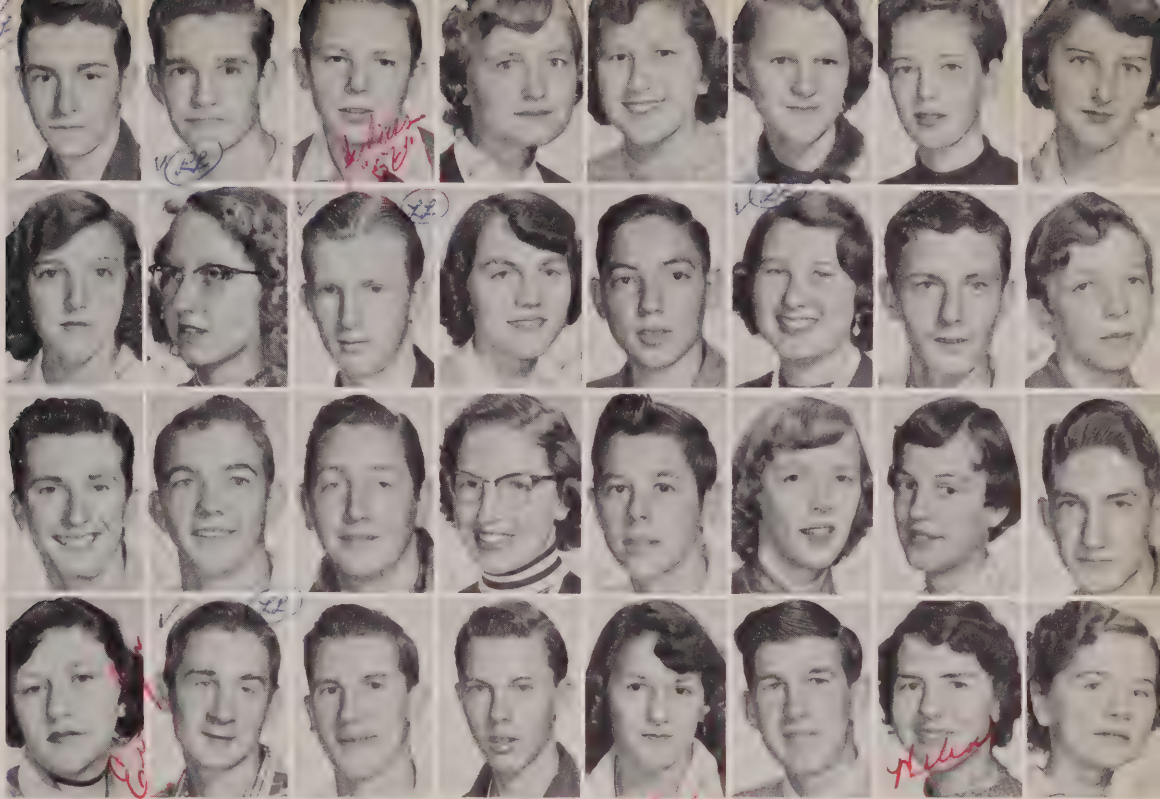
10 C

Charles  
your  
brother

TOP ROW: Artie Ashby, JoAnn Bachtel, Dottie Beckman, Robert Bittinger, Gilbert Bowman, Mary Frances Clary, Brenda Davis, Robert DeWitt, Dana Dintaman. SECOND ROW: Beverly Evans, Jackie Friend, Donna George, Marlene Green, Harold Harris, Charlotte Harvey, Janice Jenkins, Karoline Keller, Rosemary Lawlis. THIRD ROW: Henry McRobie, Billy Nelson, Jeri Nordeck, Joan Paige, Roy Paugh, Carol Phillips, Larry Reams, Beverly Rees, Gordon Rexrode. FOURTH ROW: Edgel Sereno, Robert Severe, Kenneth Shaffer, Garland Steyer, Howard Troy, Shirley Uphold, Audrey Wilt, Fredolen Wolf, Janet Wolf.







*Paul Johnson*

**10 D**

*Best of Luck Helen Wolfe*

TOP ROW: Wayne Bernard, Wellington Bittinger, Julius Bolyard, Judy Burrell, Sandra Collins, Patricia DeWitt, Linda Dunithan, Betty Friend. SECOND ROW: Barbara Glaze Ruby Green, Charles Hardesty, Kathryn Hauser, William Henline, Sandra Kempfer, Edward Kent, Sandra Lee. THIRD ROW: Keith Mersing, James Moon, Billy Murphy, Cynthia Nace, Willard Paugh, Delores Riley, Carole Savage, Benny Shaffer. FOURTH ROW: Evelyn Shahan, Melvin Sines, James Tichinel, King Tower, Judith Welch, Norman Welch, Helen Whitacre, Geraldine Wilt. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Paul Johnson, Helen Wolfe.

*Best of Luck  
new friends  
and old friends  
in the future.  
Helen  
(Richard)*

## FRESHMEN

Ninth graders cast their votes on Friday, October 7, 1955, to elect their executive staff. Those elected were Don Semple as president; Margaret James, vice president; Lois Swartzenstruber, secretary; and Barbara Romesburg, treasurer.



*To my very  
best friends,  
Remember all the  
good times we had  
in S.C. and Biology.  
your pal, (I hope)  
Janet*





## 9 A

**TOP ROW:** Willard Arnold, Harold Beckman, Carl Bittinger, Roger Bray, Pat Campbell, Ruth Compton, Janet Cullers, Brenda DeBerry, Gloria Dilly. **SECOND ROW:** Gail Dixon, Barbara Helms, Robert James, Bill Kelley, Sherman Knox, Amelia Mellinger, Dottie Moon, Gary O'Brien, Donald Ours. **THIRD ROW:** Emma Pifer, Anita Porter, Donald Rolf, Barbara Romesburg, Carol Sanders, Dave Shaffer, Janet Sisler, Lawrence Steyer, Ethel Stiles. **FOURTH ROW:** Richard Swartzentruber, Wendell Waybright, Kay Weeks, Harvey Winters, Helen Winters, Dorothy Wolfe.



## 9 B

**TOP ROW:** Lester Bittinger, William Burgwald, Wayne Callis, Frances Davis, Lois Davis, Martha DeBerry.

**SECOND ROW:** Jarlath DeWitt, Hayes Digman, Ronald Dilgard, Amanda Dixon, Richard Harvey, Troy Henline.

**THIRD ROW:** Dorothy Jordan, Martha Lewis, Nancy Martin, Sylvia Nazelrod, Mary Paugh, Catherine Rodeheaver.

**FOURTH ROW:** Richard Rohrbaugh, Edward Sanders, Joseph Sanders, Donna Schmidt, Viola Selders, Beverly Shank.

**FIFTH ROW:** Richard Snyder, Donald Stemple, Gerald Thrasher, Kenneth Troy, John Updyke, Mary Lou Vetter. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Lonnie Naylor.





9 C

TOP ROW: Howard Alexander, Melvin Bittinger, Shirley Brant, Elaine Broadwater, Harland Carlson, Jerome Cassidy, Richard Cerne, Jack Clark, Vonca Cummings. SECOND ROW: Baxter Ellifritz, Roy Elliott, Ada Fitzwater, Ann Friend, Gerald Friend, Jack Hebb, Kay Holler, Julius Kisner, Walter Lee. THIRD ROW: Gene Liller, Yvonne Nelson, Emery Paugh, Imogene Reckart, Joseph Rice, David Ridings, James Riggleman, Sheridan Richell, Dorothy Sharpless. FOURTH ROW: Shirley Steyer, Luther Sweitzer, Patsy Sweitzer, Leon Tasker, Carol Wilt, Carl Wilson, Norma Wolford.

9 D

TOP ROW: Kenneth Bachtel, Jean Beachy, William Beckman, Donald Boice, Alverta Boyce, Betty Jean Bray.

SECOND ROW: Delores Cogley, Allen DeWitt, Sandra Dunithan, Connie Evans, Pamela Fike, Martha Gank.

THIRD ROW: Roderick Gtofelly, Betty Harvey, Roolie Johnson, Wesley Lane, Delores Lewis, Robert Lewis.

FOURTH ROW: William Livengood, Charles Moreland, Robert Oates, Dayton Pritts, Thomas Rice, Zane Riggleman.

FIFTH ROW: Raymond Selders, Larry Steedman, Clifford Tasker, Evelyn Warnick, Walter Weeks, Gerald Wilson.







**9 E**

TOP ROW: Nancy Arnold, John Brent, Joan Clary, Harry Craver, Pat Foley, John Gnegy, Mary Helmick, Charles Henline. SECOND ROW: Margaret James, Linda Jordan, Margaret King, Nancy Kyle, Patricia Leighton, Alice Madigan, Janet Marley, Leo Martin. THIRD ROW: Sharon Martin, Dennis Meyers, Robert Michael, Bonnie Nally, Jean Paige, Curtis Rhodes, Jerry Stewart. FOURTH ROW: Lois Swartzentruber, Bruce Sweitzer, Melvin Sweitzer, Ruby Sweitzer, Mary Teets, Tom Turek, Nancy White. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Rose Mary Peters.



**9 F**

TOP ROW: Norma Maker, Helen Broadwater, Joy Burrell, Carolyn Cuppett, Betty Ann Durr, Arthur Friend, Clifford Friend, William Friend. SECOND ROW: Virginia James, Betty Kisner, Dwight Kitzmiller, Gary Lambert, Richard Landon, Robert Lewis, Lucille Markley, Ruth McRobie. THIRD ROW: Henry Niner, Mary Otto, Bob Parrish, Bill Paugh, Dorothy Paugh, Sylvia Paugh, Pauline Reckart, Ben Ridder. FOURTH ROW: Dale Rinker, Don Shaffer, Robert Shahan, Floyd Shreve, Eileen Sisk, Ronald Tasker, Josephine Terrant, David Werdebaugh, Ernest White. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Myrtle Winters.





9 G

TOP ROW: Thomas Armstrong, Curtis Beckman, James Beckman, Robert Bittinger, Janet Bittner, Charles Friend, Darvin Friend, Fred Friend, Betty Finch. SECOND ROW: Ellanorah Green, Benny Harris, Gloria House, Margaret Kerns, Lorraine Kight, Loretta Kisner, James Kitzmiller, Ralph Landon. THIRD ROW: Carolyn Liller, Nellie Paugh, Connie Savage, Stephen Sines, Effie Sliger, Rosanna Stemple, Albert Stiles, Brenda Stonebreaker. FOURTH ROW: Pat Strawser, Carolyn Tasker, Ronald Tasker, Eleanor Tasker, John Thayer, Jack Tichinel, Joan Wilt, Robert Wolfe. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Howard Rhodes.

## EIGHTH GRADE OFFICERS

The eighth grade chose as their leaders the following people: Carolyn Spoorlein, president; Ann Lee Lohr, vice president; Willard Ann Glotfelty, secretary; and Georgia Ann Glotfelty, treasurer.







*"3. A Sugar  
Sweet Kid"  
"Dunk  
Carpenter"*

**8 A**

TOP ROW: Loary Arnold, Donald Baker, Roge Beeman, George Bell, Jannie Blamble, William Butler, Patty Clary, Daniel Cullers, Junior DeWitt. SECOND ROW: Peggy DeWitt, Gary Friend, Barbara Germain, Richard Gibson, Nancy Hardesty, Jerry Hobgood, Nancy Kisner, Arthur Kitzmiller. THIRD ROW: Mary Kreyenbuhl, Helen Lewis, Arbutus Lloyd, Norma Reckart, Margaret Ridder, Carolyn Rolf, Sandra Savage, Helen Sereno. FOURTH ROW: Rebecca Sharpless, Darrell Stewart, Lorraine Tasker, Richard Tasker, Darrell Tichinel, James Turek, Theodore Uphold, Carolyn Winters.

TOP ROW: Don Ashby, Nancy Bittinger, Marilyn Bucklew, Jo Ellen Burrell, Connie Clary, Harold Dillsworth, Edward Dragovich, Carol Ellifritz. SECOND ROW: Faye Ellifritz, Henry Friend, Marlene Friend, Kenneth Gank, Earl George, Carole Hardesty, John Helms, Fred Hinebaugh. THIRD ROW: Violet Keefer, Luther Knotts, Charlotte Lewis, Luther Lohr, Duane Miller, William Park, Kenneth Paugh, Milford Paugh. FOURTH ROW: Rosalee Perry, James Reall, Jane Riley, Bonnie Shaffer, William Sleeth, Betty Smith, Barbara Snyder, Shirley Snyder. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Juanita Gank, Robert Lewis.



**8 B**





8 C

TOP ROW: Thomas Beitzel, Mary Bittner, Leo Borrer, Darlene Bray, Paul Clary, Anna Cooper, Boyd Cooper, Ronald Dilley, Joan Dixon. SECOND ROW: Carolyn Flaherty, Dorothy Friend, Patricia Friend, Margaret Fulk, Frances Jamison, James Johnson, Helen King, Susan Kisner, Glenn Lane. THIRD ROW: Ann Lohr, James Metz, Milton Miller, Helen Raynovich, Russell Rinker, William Schmidt, LaVern Shaffer, Alice Simmons. FOURTH ROW: Benny Sisler, Edna Sisler, Helen Steyer, Eileen Tasker, Nathan Tasker, Edward Umstot, Theodore Wilson, Homer Wilt.

TOP ROW: Thomas Bernard, Peter Burch, Russell Crosco, Judy Duling, Betty Henline, Linda Holler, Alice Lee, Steve Malone. SECOND ROW: Sandra Maier, Sharon Maier, Barbara Martin, Winifred Miller, Luther Moon, John Moreland, Esther, Nazelrod, Harold Paugh. THIRD ROW: Luvona Paugh, Robert Pennington, Paul Reall, Larry Reckart, Douglas Shank, James Sines, Carol Smith, George Steadman. FOURTH ROW: Bill Stemple, Henry Thomas, Archie Tichinel, Carol Vance, John Wilson, Wanda Wilson, Darrell Wotring, Loretta Yoder. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Janet Fike.

8 D



*and back  
always  
Carol*





**8 E**

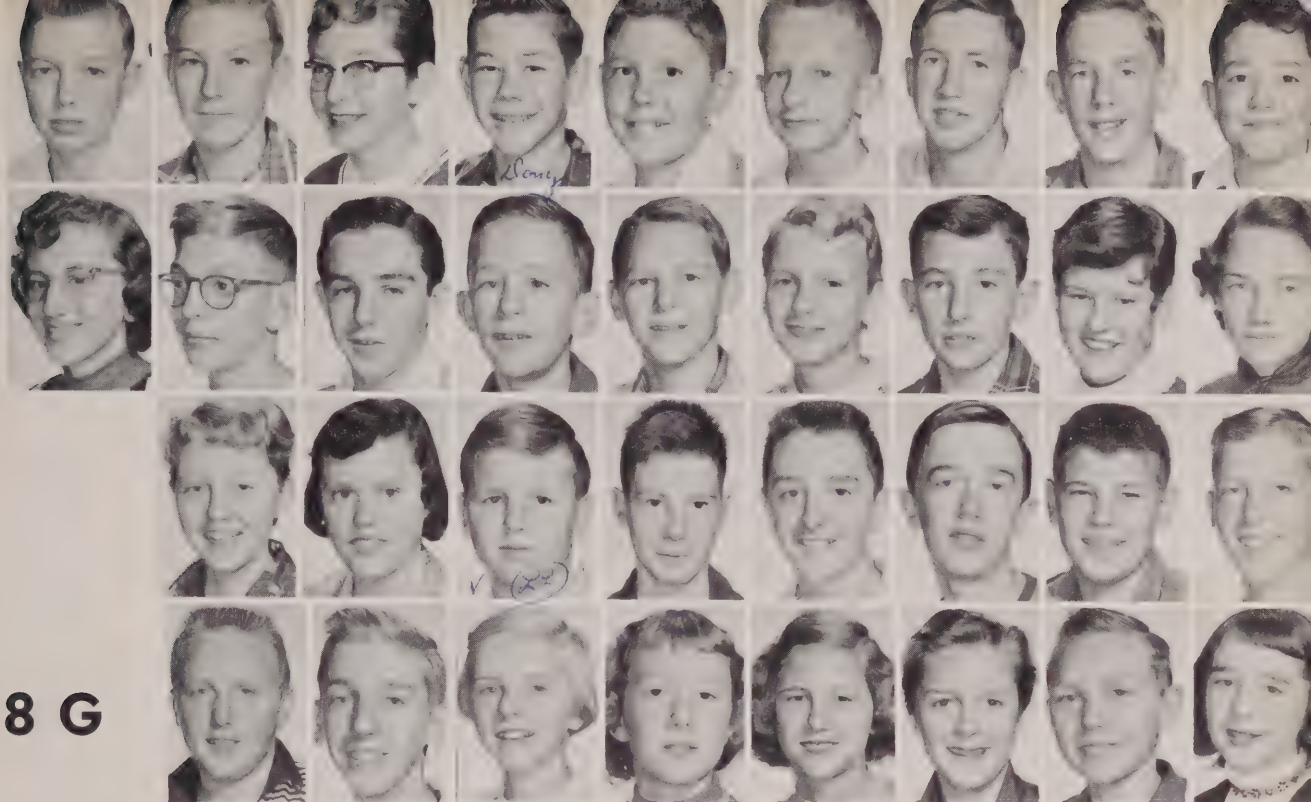
TOP ROW: Verl Baker, Harland Bowser, Richard Callis, Gerald Carr, Terry Colaw, Wilmar Day, George Dever, Kenneth Dill, Dennis Dumire. SECOND ROW: Donald Friend, Gerald Gank, Georgia Glotfelty, Leroy Glotfelty, Samuel Glotfelty, Dorothy Harvey, Dale Holtschneider, Gary Jackson, Donald James. THIRD ROW: Lee Johnson, Howard Johnson, Mollie Kope, Rita Miller, Ethel Paugh, Kenneth Paugh, Carlton Reall, Shirley Rodeheaver. FOURTH ROW: Rebecca Smith, Margaret Stemple, June Sweitzer, Kathleen Sweitzer, Doris Updyke, Margaret Vetter, Clifford Welch, Shirley Wilt. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Robert Paugh.

TOP ROW: Tommy Bergner, Jackie Broadwater, Geraldine Bowser, Glenn Canan, Donald Clark, Hazel Conklin, Barbara Cosner, Dora Craver. SECOND ROW: Benny DeBerry, Bertha Evans, George Glotfelty, Doris Harvey, Gary Hollen, George Holtschneider, Shirley Johnson, Hugh Kisner. THIRD ROW: Robert Kyle, Walter Livingood, Ernest Martin, Joseph O'Brien, Charles Paugh, Clarence Pifer, Betty Rumer, Kenneth Savage, Robert Savage. FOURTH ROW: Harry Simmons, Wayne Stewart, Betty Tusing, Dorothy Tusing, Gary Upole, Larry Warnick, Winston Warren, Lyle Weimer, Richard Welch. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Harry Werdebaugh.



**8 F**





## 8 G

**TOP ROW:** Harland Bernard, Robert Bernard, Charlotte Biser, Douglas Bittinger, Maurice Brookhart, Cheston Browning, Keith Butler, James Callis, Richard Castilow. **SECOND ROW:** Sherry Colaw, Larry Cooper, Paul Cornish, Robert Damon, Richard DeWitt, Jacqueline Dilgard, William Duling, Willard Ann Glotfelty, Patsy Gower. **THIRD ROW:** Jane Hanst, Nancy Hardesty, John Harvey, Gerald Hauser, Dale King, Rodney King, Gene Martin, Kenneth Martin. **FOURTH ROW:** Robert Miller, Thomas Mulvey, Gail Naylor, Betty Rollman, Carolyn Spoerlein, Elizabeth Thrasher, Pat Turney, Carol Wolfe.

## SEVENTH GRADE OFFICERS

In their first year at Southern, the seventh grade chose Barbara Rice as their president. The rest of the executive staff are Bobby Leighton, vice president; Kathryn Blizzard, secretary; and Sue Martin, treasurer.







**7 A**

TOP ROW: Charles Arnold, Kathryn Blizzard, Gladys Boyce, Sheldon Bower, Eleanor Broadwater, Kenneth Cassidy, Linda Cullers, Arthur Davis. SECOND ROW: Edwin Davis, Clifford Graham, Lawrence Gregory, James Haines, Wayne Hamilton, LaVern Hinebaugh, Jerry James, Annabella Knox. THIRD ROW: Richard Marley, Carolyn O'Brien, Arlene Paugh, Charlotte Paugh, Darlene Paugh, Majorie Paugh, Opel Paugh, Carl Rinker. FOURTH ROW: Darlene Tasker, Linda Teets, Patricia Tichinel, Donald Uphold, Barbara Warnick, Nancy Wilson, Leon Wilt, Linda Wilt.

TOP ROW: Beulah Beckman, Fred Bell, Douglas Cargo, Clarence Custer, Raymond DeWitt, Susan Gibson, Gary Glotfelty. SECOND ROW: Judy Green, Mary Lou Hamill, Everett James, Shirley Kitzmiller, Glenna Loughy, Kay Pike, Nancy Reckart, Barbara Lipscomb. THIRD ROW: Donna Reiner, Dennis Sanders, Sandra Skipper, William Steyer, Gary Stine, Okey Uphold, Roger Uphold, Harold Uphole. FOURTH ROW: Jack Werdebaugh, Sheldon Whitacre, Ronald White, John Wilt, Clifford Wolfe, Robert Wolfe, Gary Wotring, Gay Zimmerman. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: James Holland.



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*Helen Beckman*

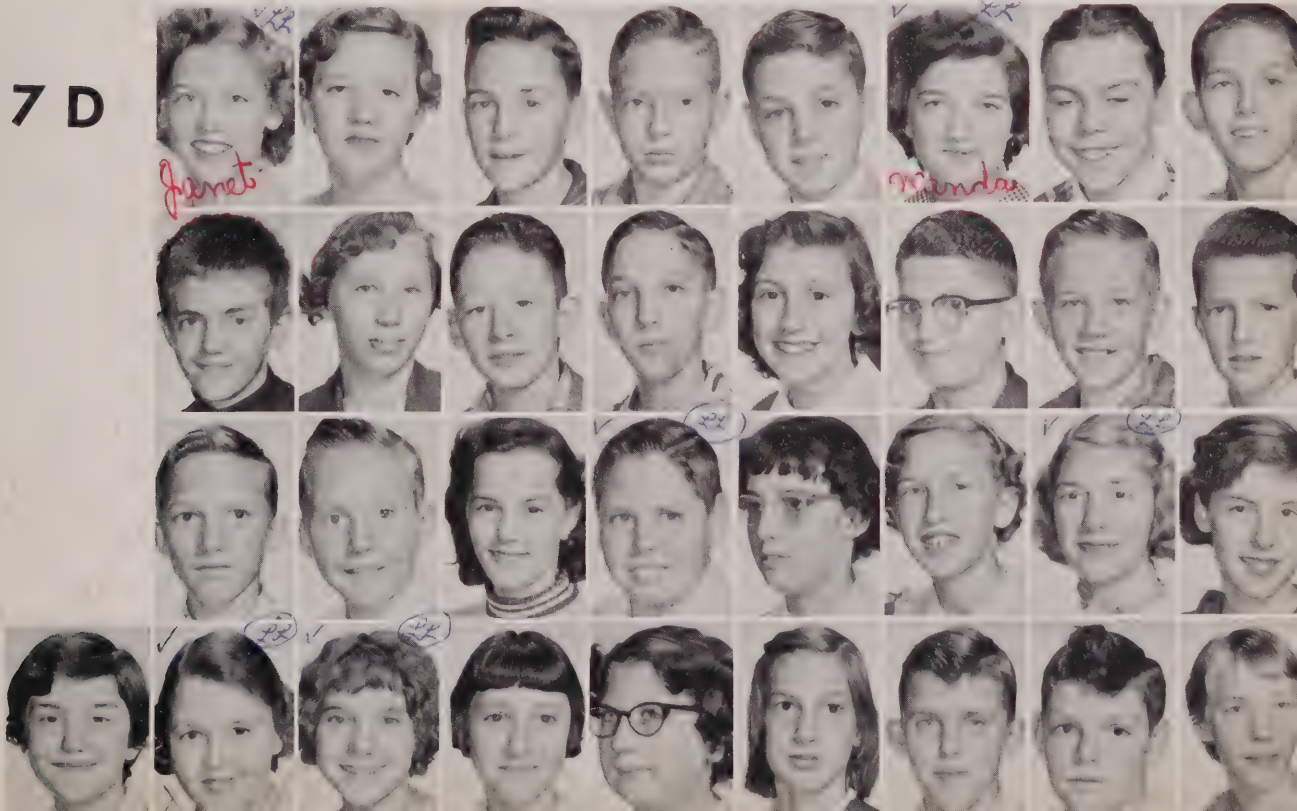


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TOP ROW: Arlene Alexander, Floyd Arnold, John Beckman, Wayne Beckman, Burldiene Bittinger, Rocksie Bowers, Nancy Bowser, Roger Broadwater. SECOND ROW: Leon Butcher, Sandra Butler, Vicki Carlson, Willard Carr, Charles Clary, Larry Coddington, Ronald Colaw, Robert Collins. THIRD ROW: Michael Cook, Erma Cummings, James R. Friend, James W. Friend, Joan Jenkins, Ruby Lewis, Delores Martin. FOURTH ROW: Anna Mae Miller, Linda Reams, Ella Jean Rolf, Willard Roth, Edward Sisler, Judy Stahl, Samuel Terrant. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Georgiana Baker, Helen Beckman, Ronald Beckman, Harold Hardesty.

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**7 E**

TOP ROW: Roger Lee Ashby, Hazel Bittner, Malva Bowser, Carole Campbell, Mabel Durr, Jerry Friend, Carl Hinebaugh, Richard Holland.  
 SECOND ROW: Gordon House, William Kahlbaugh, Richard Kerns, Roger Kisner, Robert Leighton, Roger Lewis, Mary Likins, Eugene Ludwig.  
 THIRD ROW: Ellen Martin, Peggy Martin, Sue Martin, Ella Miller, Helen Moats, Kathryn Mosser, Ruth Otto, Dorothy Peck. FOURTH ROW: Shirley Pennington, Hazel Pifer, Janet Phillippi, Sandra Reall, Niona Reckart, Barbara Rice, Judy Sisler.

TOP ROW: Rachel Gregory, Alvin Lewis, Joe Matthews, William Niner, William Paugh, Ralph Ream, Jackie Reams. SECOND ROW: Jerry Sanders, Patricia Shahan, Sara Shank, Harold Sharpless, William Shreve, Katherine Sines, Linda Sines. Third Row: Tommy Skipper, Delmar Sliger, Vida Sliger, Phyllis Smith, Laura Spiker, Patricia Stemple, Ronald Stewart, Douglas Stiles. FOURTH ROW: Bryson Strawser, Juanita Tasker, Patricia Tasker, Betty Upole, Bertram Upole, Eleanor Vetter, Wilma Warnick, Shirley Warren. UNPHOTOGRAPHED: Rita Winters.

*Rita Winters*

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# 7 G

**TOP ROW:** Thomas Anderson, Rodney Barkhurst, Carolyn Beckman, Wallace Bolyand, Nancy Burton, James Canty.

**SECOND ROW:** Laurence DeBerry, Barbara Deems, Thomas Forman, Dorothy Harvey, Guy Hinebaugh, Kenneth Jones.

**THIRD ROW:** Joy Lee, Mary Jane Lee, Delbert Liller, Gary Knotts, Brenton Propst, Roger Roderick.

**FOURTH ROW:** Barry Sanders, Norman Shreve, Douglas Stonebraker, Richard Stuck, Susan Tichnell, Georgia Weaver.

**FIFTH ROW:** Nancy Welch, Dorothy White, Harold White, Jo Ann White, Joseph White, Clayton Winters.

**UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Nancy Hinebaugh.

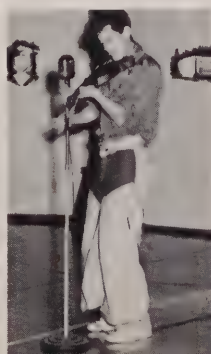


"Putting square pegs into round holes"  
... Employment Test.



We even turned teacher ... F.T.A. practice teacher.

And we clowned some ...  
Tom Turney



We drove around a bit ... Driver Education.

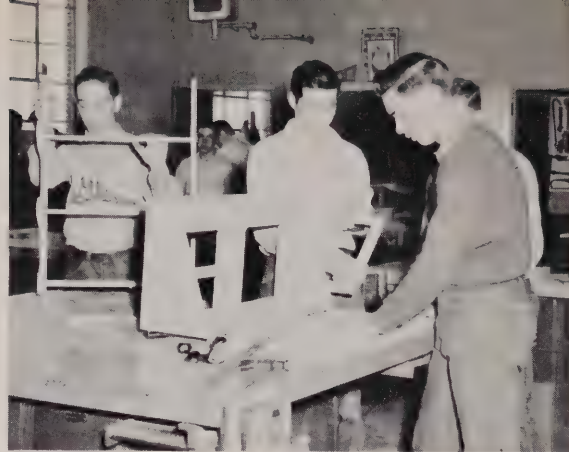
We spent some time in line for chow.







Core is required in all courses.



GENERAL  
Shop



College Prepared

ACADEMIC  
Chemistry



COMMERCIAL  
General Business, Stenographic  
Cutting up turkeys for F.F.A. Banquet



VOCATIONAL  
Home Economics



#### THE CLASSROOMS AND LABORATORIES

Mr. W. Kenneth Johns, principal, has stated the following purposes for the curricula in our school:

The program of studies at Southern High School is one that is geared to serve the educational needs of all boys and girls of high school age in the community. It is a program that has been developed over a period of time and is the result of much study and counsel.

The aim of the school is to make available a program of education difficult enough to provide a real challenge for every one of its 1150 students, no matter what his interests are.

The junior high school grades provide a general educational program needed by all, no matter what the future may be.

Upon the completion of his junior high school work, the student is ready for the various areas of specialization offered in the senior high school. After testing, guidance, and parental advice, senior high students may specialize in college preparatory courses, commercial education, agriculture, home economics, or a general program.

Thus, with such a variety of opportunities, an adequately equipped school plant, and an excellent teaching staff, students at Southern have every chance to succeed as they face the realities of tomorrow.





*We Are America . . .*

*Where we practice the rules  
of good sportsmanship.*



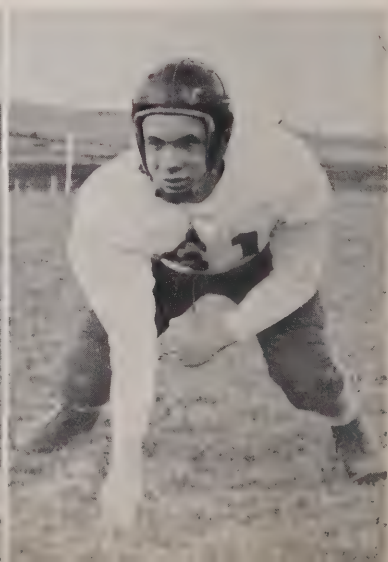
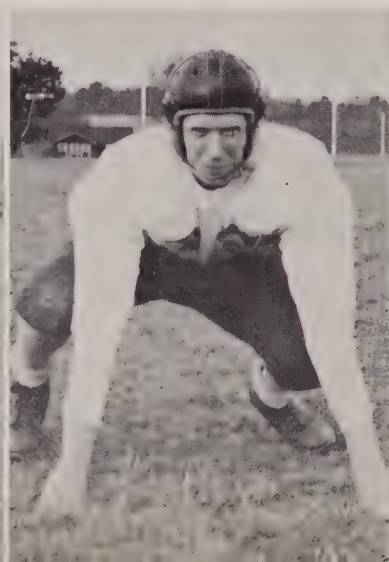


# Football

On these pages are pictured the Senior members of the football team. They are, left to right, **TOP ROW:** Danny Garrett, Left End; Charles Grubb, Defensive Guard; Roger Glatfelty, Right Guard. **SECOND ROW:** Dale Evans, Right Tackle; Toby Colaw, Co-Captain and star Quarterback. **THIRD ROW:** Fred Dilgard, Left End; Robert Glaze, Right Halfback; Harold Harsh, Left Tackle; George Lee, Right Guard

# Schedule

Sept. 9	Southern... 6	Petersburg ... 6
Sept. 17	Southern... 13	Moorefield ... 21
Sept. 24	Southern... 40	W. Va. Deaf 13
Oct. 1	Southern... 6	Beall ..... 27





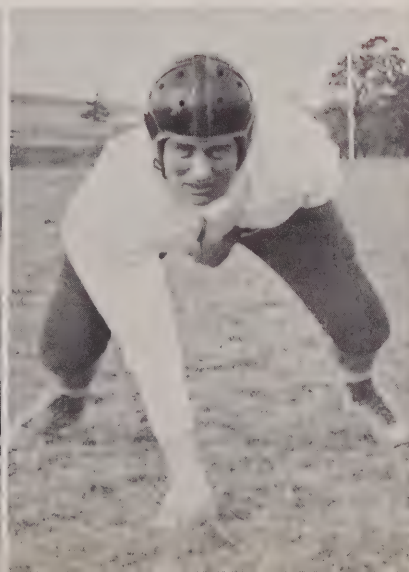
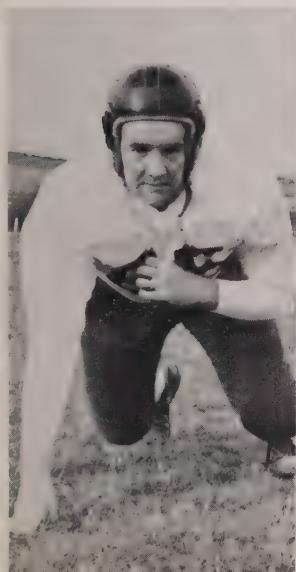


# ... 1955

This is the second year for football at Southern High School. On this page are pictured nine more Senior team members. **TOP ROW**, left to right: Charles Mason, Fullback; Robert Marley, Left Guard; Allen Knotts, Right End. **SECOND ROW**: Fred Colaw, Co-Captain and star Left Halfback; John Ruff, Right Tackle. **THIRD ROW**: James Wright, Left Guard; Robert Walla, Left Tackle; Allen Sowers, Left Halfback; Paul Brohawn, Right End.



Oct. 8	Southern...	13	St. Francis	7
Oct. 21	Southern....	6	Kingwood ....	18
Oct. 29	Southern....	12	Keyser .....	32
Nov. 4	Southern....	26	Terra Alta ...	0







**KNEELING:** Leo Martin, manager. **FRONT ROW:** left to right: Mr. James DeMoss, coach, Wesley Lane, Lonnie Rhodeheaver, Roger Glatfelty, Bob Glaze, Fred Colaw, Toby Colaw, Skip Sowers, Jim Wright, Charles Mason. **SECOND ROW:** Mr. Carl Schoonover, ass't. coach, Allen Knotts, Fred Dilgard, Don Ours, Jim Pike, Eddie Fry, Bryan Thayer, Wayne Callis, Eddie Sanders, Mr. C. A. Hogue, ass't. coach.

**THIRD ROW:** Harold Harsh, Richard Cerne, Bob Walla, George Lee, Walter Hoyer, Bob Marley, Don Evans, Lester Bittinger, John Ruff. **FOURTH ROW:** Tom Jackson, Henry McRobie, Paul Brohawn, Jack Gnegy, Hayes Digman, Danny Garrett, Bill Deckman, Charlie Grubb, Dale Evans.

## Gridiron Events

Southern's Highlanders of 1955 went down in the record as the first Red and White team to play all Varsity opponents. The Highlanders had a rugged schedule of 8 games and, this being only their second season of organized football, they ended with a respectable record of three wins, four losses and one tie.

The initial game was played with the Petersburg Vikings before the entire student body and, when the smoke had cleared, the scoreboard read Southern 6, Petersburg 6. Fred Colaw ran 31 yards for the Red and White's lone score.

The next week the DeMoss-coached eleven lost a hard fought game to the Moorefield Yellow Jackets on the home field by the score of 21-13. Highlander touchdowns were scored by virtue of a Toby Colaw to Fred Colaw pass play, and Skip Sower's scamper from the eighteen.

West Virginia School for the Deaf proved to be no match for the Southerners as the DeMossmen won their initial victory of the season, 40-13, on the Romney gridiron. Tallies were scored by Fred Colaw, Charlie Mason, Skip Sowers, Bob Glaze, Bill Deckman, and Toby Colaw.

Playing against the single wing for the first time this year, the Highlanders went down to their second defeat at the hands of the Beall High Mountaineers 27-6 on the local field. Toby Colaw threw

a 19 yard aerial to Fred Colaw who then ran 63 yards for Southern's only score. This was the longest completion in this area.

The Highlanders showed much improvement in beating highly touted St. Francis of Morgantown, 13-6. Danny Garrett hauled in Toby Colaw's pass in the end zone for Southern's first score and Bill Deckman plowed over from the four to wrap up the game, which was played on the home field. The game was highlighted by the rugged line play of our team.

The Red and White traveled to Kingwood looking for their third win of the season but ended up on the short end of an 18-6 score. A 47 yard pass play from Toby to Fred accounted for the only score.

The Highlanders couldn't stop Jim Webb and Co. as the Keyser eleven, P.V.C. champs, defeated Southern 32-12, on the W. Va. field. The touchdowns both came from passes from Fred Colaw to Toby Colaw.

In the season's finale Southern ran over Terra Alta 26-0, for their third victory. Touchdowns were scored by Dan Garrett, Bill Deckman, Charles Mason, and Toby Colaw.

Special recognition should be given to Fred Colaw, who was chosen for the first team on the Potomac Valley Conference squad, and George Lee, guard, who was picked for the second team.

Chalk Talk . . . Mr. DeMoss



Team in pile up!



Got him!



Touchdown . . .  
Fred  
Colaw



Parent's Day . . . Community donates new bleachers.





# “In The Spring, A Young Man’s Fancy Turns To . . .”

**Track . . .** This year’s Highlander track team will begin its second year of Potomac Valley Conference competition. Coach Carl Schoonover, in his first season as thinclead mentor is preparing the team for a full season. This year’s schedule tentatively includes a joint meet with the Fort Hill Jayvees, and one for the P.V.C. championship. The team consists of many returning lettermen but has the disadvantage of having no cinder track to run on.

**FRONT ROW KNEELING**, left to right: Terry Skipper, Bill George, Charles Kitzmiller, Toby Colaw, Jerry Meyers, Dana Dintaman, George Lee, Jack Roth, Charles Mason, Bob Glaze. **SECOND ROW:** Bruce Swift, manager, Lyle Lee, Don Riley, Harold Dove, Bob Walla, Bob Marley, Fred Colaw, John Ruff, Allen Knotts, Ernie Upole, Skip Sowers, Mr. T. Stevenson, coach.



**Baseball . . .** This year’s Highlander baseball team is composed of many returning veterans and Coach Carlton Hogue is looking forward to a very successful year as he is making his debut at coaching baseball at Southern.

Last season’s team compiled a 6-5 record. The tentative schedule for ‘56 is as follows:

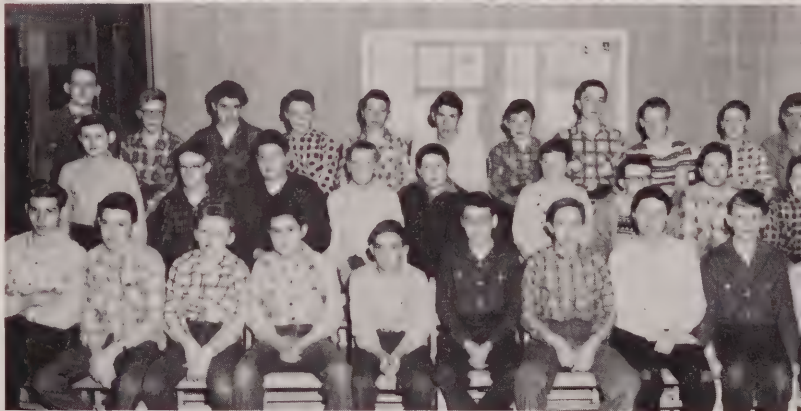
April 6	Elk Garden	Away
April 10	Keyser	Away
April 14	Berkley Springs	Home
April 17	Circleville	Away
April 20	Keyser	Home
April 24	Kingwood	Home
May 4	Circleville	Home
May 7	Kingwood	Away
May 11	Moorefield	Away
May 15	Petersburg	Pending
May 18	Elk Garden	Home

The team will also play other teams which are not yet definitely dated but will include, among others, Northern High.

**Baseball Team: FIRST ROW, KNEELING**, left to right: Bill Schaeffer, John Ruff, Allen Knotts, Dan Garrett, Fred Colaw, Toby Colaw, Frank Bolyard, Bob Shiffy, Don DeWitt. **BACK ROW:** Charles Grubb, manager, Don Welch, manager, Sam Maxey, Cecil Roth, Jim Wright, Bill Deckman, Paul Brohawn, Jim Holler, Dick Mussard, Ronald Michaels, Leonard Hathaway, manager, Mr. Leonard Ritchie, coach. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED:** Roger Glotfelty.



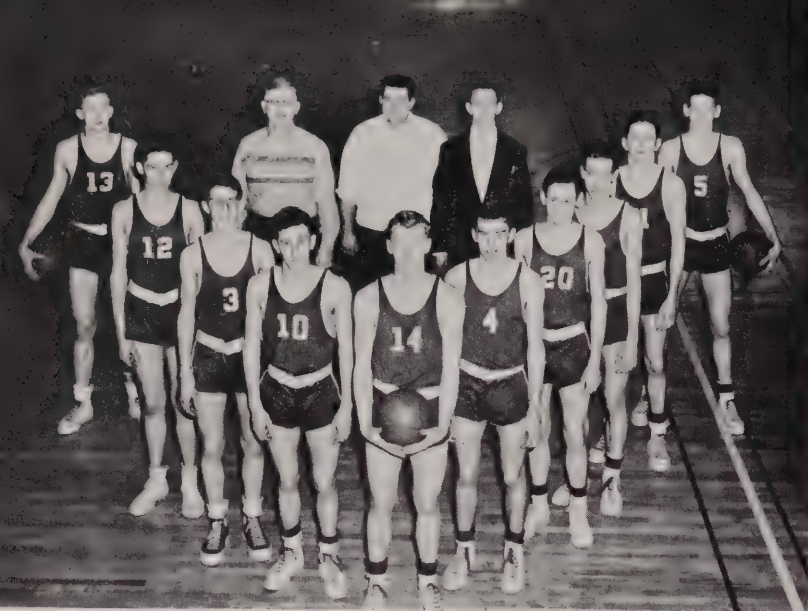
**Going Fishing . . .** Fishing Club . . . something looks “fishy” here . . . tall fish tales . . . amateur anglers . . . Saturday night fishing trips . . . fly tying contest . . . a less strenuous sport . . . would be champs . . . Hook, Roger Broadwater; Line, George Bell; Sinkers, Gerald Carr; Bait, Jimmy Holland.



**Sports Information . . .** Boys in the know . . . Sports Information Club . . . research galore . . . avid movie watchers . . . gain facts from films . . . thirst for knowledge . . . about sports! . . . sports fans . . . Captain, Wayne Callis, Co-Captains, Dick Stuck, Hayes Digman, and Ronnie Colaw.







**Southern's Red and White Team**

## Hardwood Tallies

We	Opponents	They
74	Terra Alta	47
73	Allegany	82
69	Beall	40
60	Bruce	74
51	Valley	68
53	Beall	58
63	Elk Garden	58
68	Thomas	80
57	Parsons	62
79	Northern	59
76	Rowlesburg	61
69	Bruce	71
53	Valley	55
97	Terra Alta	54
55	Bayard	48
64	Elk Garden	65
104	Bayard	75
67	Thomas	62
66	Parsons	68
87	Northern	68
54	Valley	58

## Highlighting Highlander Hoopsters . . .

Dec. 6—Coach Schoonover's debut successful as Highlanders romp to easy victory. Dec. 9—Alco's victory in third period nets win . . . Sanders is high with 19 points. Dec. 13—Highlanders take first home game by easy win . . . Ruff leads Southern attack with 16 points. Dec. 15—S.H.S. loses second game to Bulldogs, although victory wasn't easy. Dec. 20—Valley never headed in game at Coney . . . Sanders is high man with 17. Jan. 4—Mountaineers avenge earlier defeat by edging Red and White at Frostburg . . . Fred leads with 17 markers. Jan. 6—Highlanders upset favored Elks. Jan. 12—Fred scores 20 points in losing cause. Jan. 13—Third quarter rally fails as Southern loses 6th. Jan. 17—Red and White takes first step toward Garrett Co. championship by copping easy win. Fred leads offense with 22. Jan. 20—Lions falter after first quarter to fall to a superior Southern team. Sanders garners 22. Jan. 24—Highlanders lose close game in return match. Fred tallies 25. Jan.

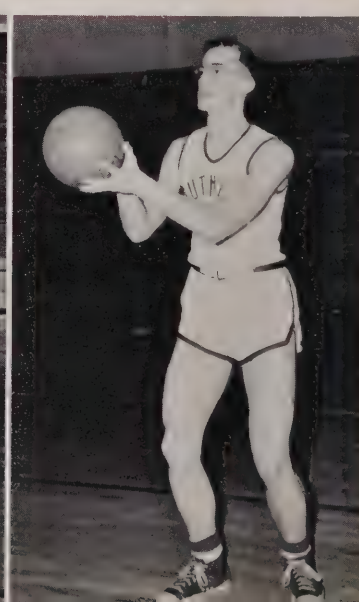
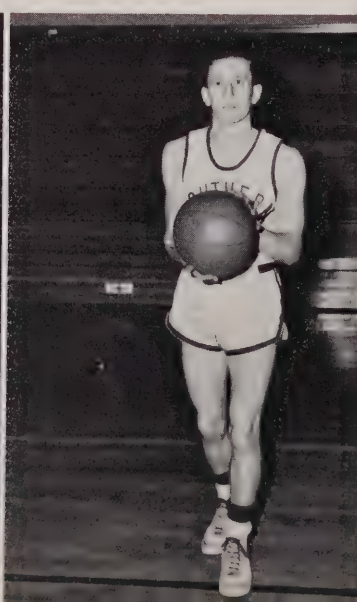
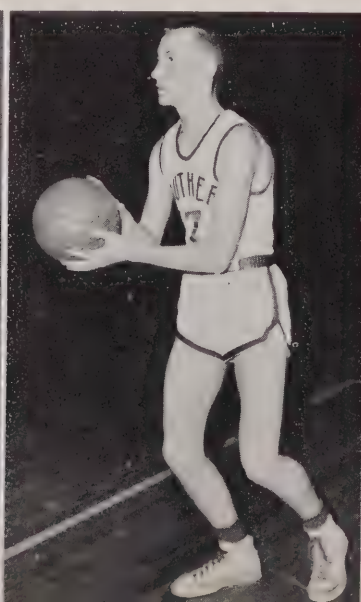
26—A vastly improved Southern team came close to upset. Again they are paced by Fred Colaw with 14 points. Jan. 31—Highlanders swamp West Virginians to sweep series. Fred stars with 27 markers. Feb. 3—Red and White notch 7th win. Toby, Brohawn, Ruff, and Sanders all hit double column. Feb. 7—Elks win on foul shot after final buzzer. Fred again top man with 20 points . . . a thrilling game of the year. Feb. 9—Team is first in S.H.S.'s history to go over century marker. Fred dumps in 37 to become top point man in any game this season. Feb. 14—Highlanders score upset win over record Mountaineers. Toby has best night with 27 points. Feb. 17—Panthers win with final seconds field goal. Brohawn leads with 19. Feb. 21—Southerners cop county title and head for regional tournament. Sanders makes 23. March 9—Highlanders led through first half but fail in first tournament round. Ruff was high with 22 points.

George Lee  
Guard

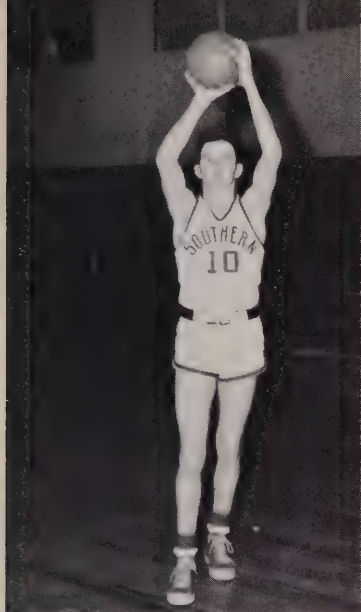
Dan Garrett  
Guard

Toby Colaw  
Forward

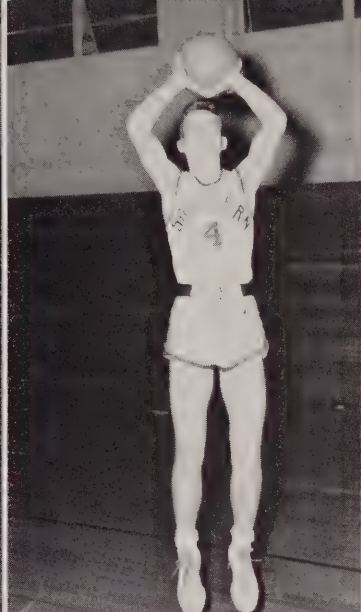
John Ruff  
Center







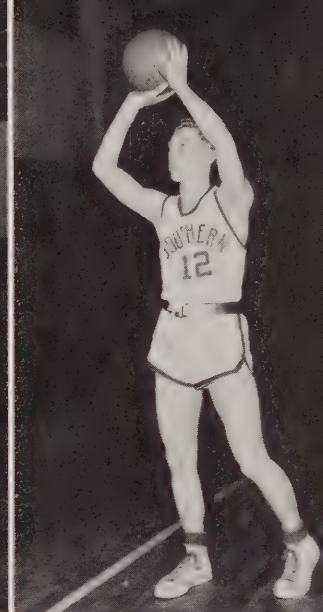
Paul Brohawn  
Forward



Allen Knotts  
Guard



Bill Sanders  
Forward



Fred Colaw  
Forward

## Junior Varsity Basketball Scores

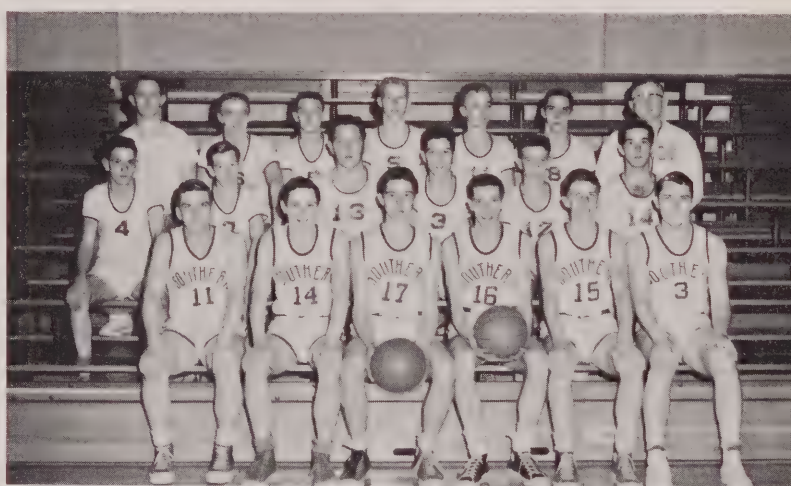
We	Opponents	They
61	Terra Alta	30
38	Bruce	44
33	Valley	45
30	Elk Garden	45
35	Mountaineers	45
32	Parsons	25
65	Northern	32
57	Bruce	46
30	Valley	36
73	Terra Aalta	34
48	Bayard	40
40	Elk Garden	41
40	Bayard	43
63	Aurora	41
63	Mountaineers	38
61	Parsons	38
86	Aurora	54
60	Vo. Ag. Boys	37
41	Northern	38

## Junior High Scores

We	Opponents	They
29	Mountaineers	61
36	Mountaineers	41
25	7th & 8th Grade	26
37	Aurora	29
25	Aurora	15

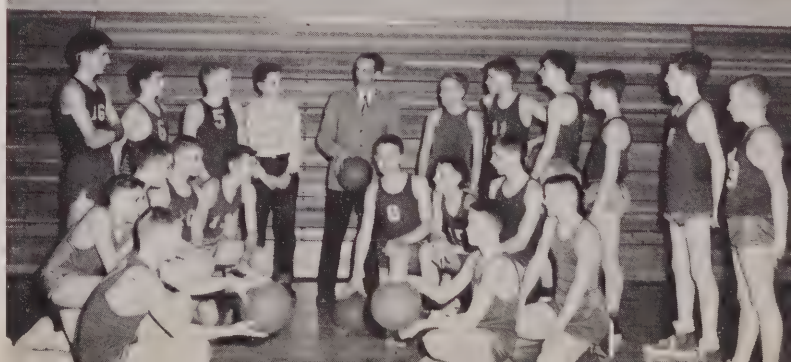
## Junior Varsity . . .

**FIRST ROW:** John Roth, Gary Bittinger, Tom Bittinger, Bob Shiffey, Ken Shaffer, Earl Kight. **SECOND ROW:** Jim Holler, Bob Smith, Bill Murphy, Fred Teets, Dick Nace, Don Grubb. **THIRD ROW:** Mr. C. Schoonover, Robert Bittinger, Tom Graham, Don DeWitt, Bob Maxey, Dana Dintaman, Mr. C. A. Hogue.



## Junior High Team . . .

**STANDING,** left to right: Wesley Lane, Dick Snyder, Ronnie Colaw, Glenn Lane, manager, Mr. Winters, Kenny Troy, Lonnie Naylor, Jack Gnegy, Harvey Winters, Johnny Updyke, Cheston Browning. **KNEELING:** in same order, Terry Colaw, Brenton Propst, Leo Martin, Bus Friend, Allen DeWitt, Joey Sanders, Kenny Savage, Barry Sanders, Dickie Struck.







**KNEELING**, left to right: D. Evans, B. Glaze, C. Mason, F. Colaw, T. Colaw, J. Roth, G. Lee. **SECOND ROW**: F. Bolyard, B. Deckman, W. Hoye, B. Marley, Adviser, Mr. James D. DeMoss, A. Knotts, R. Gotfelty, D. Garrett. **THIRD ROW**: Dale Evans, H. Harsh, P. Brohawn, B. Sanders, J. Ruff, C. Grubb, H. McRobie.

## Sports-minded Males!

Varsity Club . . . exclusive to lettermen . . . Valentine Sweetheart Dance . . . presented jackets to senior members . . . sold football and basketball programs . . . Spring dance . . . thrilling game with faculty . . . club's victory . . . promoting good feeling between students and athletes . . . lettermen with interest and ability . . . Pres., Bill Sanders; Vice Pres., Fred Colaw; Sec.-Treas., Dan Garrett.



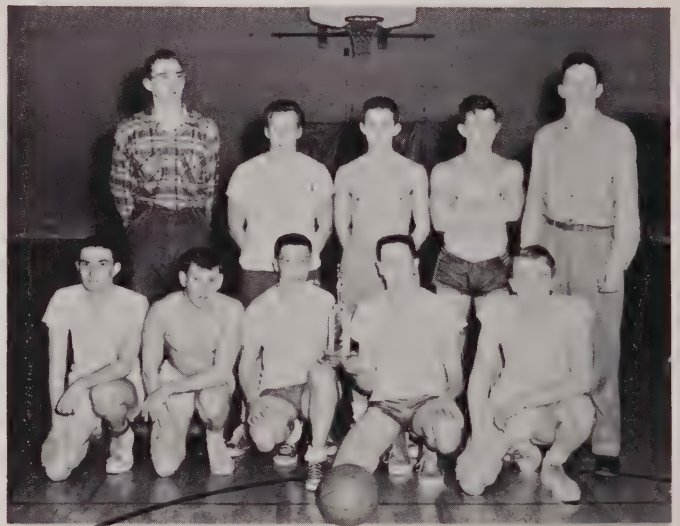
Bill Sanders, Varsity Club President

Bill Sanders presides over the meetings of the Varsity Club. He is a senior letterman and outstanding basketball participant.

## Class Champs of Intramural Basketball



**11-B Senior Female Champs**



**12-B Senior Male Champs**

**9-A Little Lady Champions**



**9-B Junior Boy Champions**

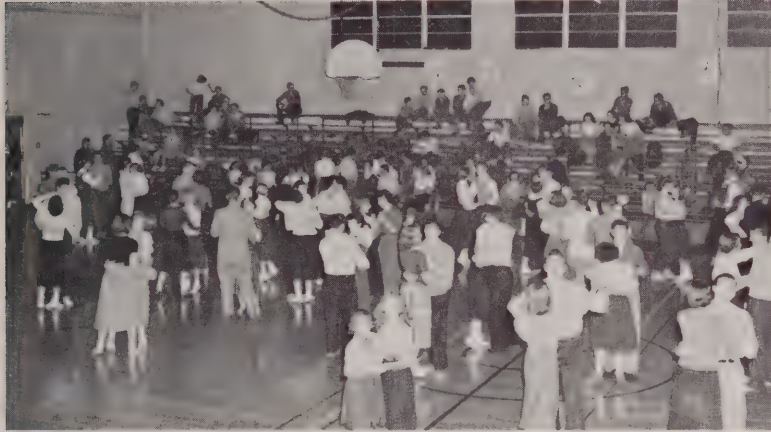




## Sports-minded Females!

Girls' Athletic Association . . . gab club . . . shoe less dances . . . those Monday eve and Wednesday nite sessions . . . Ma'am's guidance . . . big initiation feed . . . Execs—Patty Sollars, Doris Lawson, Delores Riley, Rudy Skotniski.

Rock 'n Roll . . . in our socks at the G.A.A. sponsored dances.



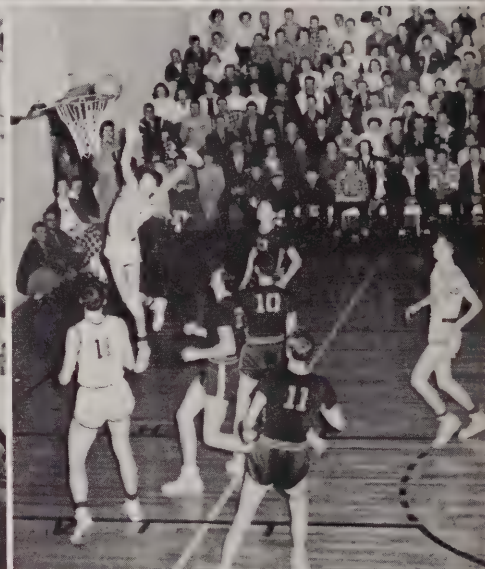
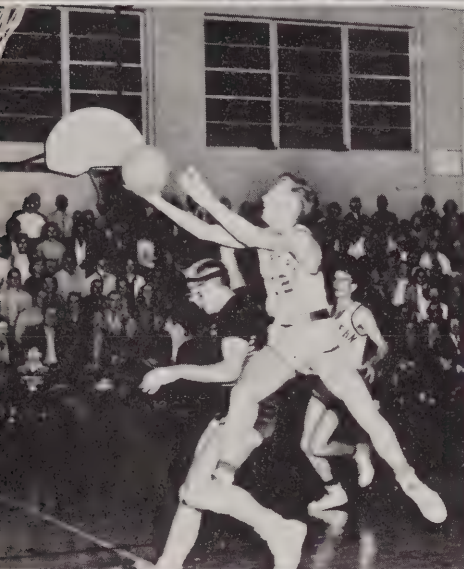
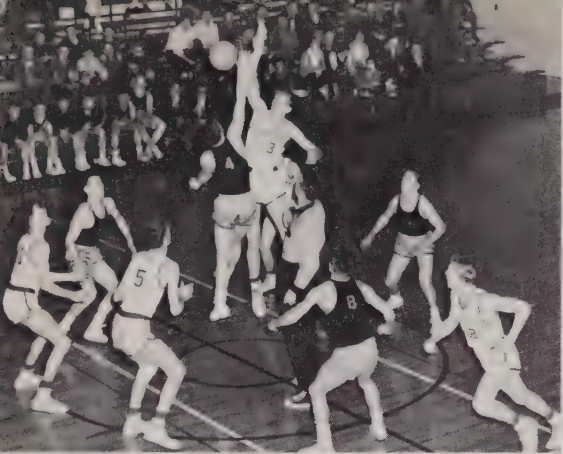
## Your Pep!

Junior High Cheerleaders below, left corner . . . Ann Lee Lohr, captain. Junior Varsity Cheerleaders . . . Pat Campbell, captain, leads the J.V. cheerleaders pictured on the right. Senior Varsity Cheerleaders at the bottom right . . . Beverly Winters acts as captain of the squad . . . senior members are Beverly, Tom and Barbara. The Cheerleaders sponsored Second Annual Football Parade and Dance . . . bonfire pep rally—drizzled . . . decoration of gym and football goal-posts before games . . . with the team all the way . . . building up enthusiasm . . . controlling sportsmanship . . . bi-weekly practice . . . hoarse after tournament.

Fifteen Rahs for the Red and White Team!







## "Take Me Out To The Ball Game" . . .

TOP ROW: "Come on, Ruff, up you go" . . . John Ruff in tip-off. "2-4-6-8, whom do we appreciate?" Beverly Winters, football queen. "Hey, Hey, what do you say?" . . . They take the cake . . . Sweetheart Dance . . . Jean, Henry, Allen and Sandy. SEC-OND ROW: "Come on, Freddie, we want a basket!" . . . nice shot, Sam. "We're with you, team, so fight" . . . annual public pep rally before football game. "Do like the Navy does; sink it" . . . Bill Sanders connecting with a hook shot. THIRD ROW: "Tell 'em Paul, that's okay; they'll grow up some other day" . . . Brohawn instructing Annex pupils the art of dribbling. "Hey, hey! Let's beat T. A.!" . . . G.A.A. Playday with Terra Alta. "We want another one, just like the other one" . . . a scoring touchdown.





F.F.A.

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SCIENCE

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*We Are America . . .*

*where we may*

*develop our abilities*

SEVERLY  
WINTERS



## Miss and Mr. *Highlander* III

*Janet Leighton  
and William Moore*

America is a land of opportunities. Youth at Southern has had the opportunity to attain scholastic achievement, to assume leadership, to expand interests and abilities, to grow in character, and to develop pleasing personality.

The seniors of 1956 have chosen Janet Leighton and William Moore as the students who best represent the class in taking advantage of all the above opportunities and who are the most worthy of the title, Mr. and Miss Highlander III.

Janet was this year's Autumn Glory Queen, a delegate to U.N., is secretary of the Senior Chorus, and a member of the Guided Reading Club. She belongs to St. Mark's Lutheran Church.

Bill is senior class president. He has been in band all through high school and is this year's drum major. He is vice-president of the Senior Chorus. He is also an Explorer Scout and a member of the town band. He is a member of St. Paul's Methodist Church.

Other representative students chosen are pictured below, left to right: Douglas Smith, editor of *The Acorn*, member of Dramatics Club, Quill and Scroll, active member of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, and an Explorer Scout; Shirley Yoder, an Autumn Glory Princess, a member of the F.B.L.A., active member of the Sand Flat Assembly of God Church; Jack Roth, basketball manager, member of the student government, orchestra, band delegate to U.N., Senior Chorus, active member of St. Mark's Lutheran Church; Delores Vetter, editor of *The Highlander*, Quill and Scroll, G.A.A., F.T.A. president, U.N. delegate, active member of Deep Creek Baptist Church.

Garrett County has many scenic spots and is one of America's recreation and vacation areas. Three favorite places, photographed by student photographer Sam Moore, are: upper left, Muddy Creek Falls; lower left, Deep Creek Lake; lower right, Herrington Manor.







Student Council Officers, left to right: Betty Bittinger, secretary; Ruby Gnegy, treasurer; Fred Teets, vice-president; Sam Moore, president; Miss A. Dilgard, adviser. Student Council Members, **RIGHT PHOTO**, left to right: Roger Glotfelty, Roger DeBerry, Jack Roth, Barbara Glotfelty, Mary Bachtel, Betty Bittinger, Fred Teets, Sam Moore, Miss Dilgard, Ruby Gnegy, Elaine Gnegy, Elizabeth Thrasher, Pat DeWitt, Kay Pike, Geraldine Wilt, Janice Jenkins. **BACK ROW SEATED**: Lester Bittinger, Fred Bell, Glenn Lane. **UNPHOTOGRAPHED**: Wesley Lane and Donna George.

## Our Conscience and Our Guides . . .

Student Government . . . "The program for today will be a review of the Student Council activities for the past year" . . . Noontime devotions . . . helping crippled children . . . hallway policeman . . . emceeding some assemblies . . . transportation to away games

. . . addition to handbook . . . trip to Boonesboro . . . peddling pencils and pens . . . supplementing school safety program . . . Officers: Pres., Sam Moore; V.-Pres., Fred Teets; Sec., Betty Bittinger; Treas., Ruby Gnegy.



### Hard-Working Writers

Journalism—**Acorn** and **Highlander** . . . Quill & Scroll . . . deadlines! . . . keep students acquainted with the news . . . "Southern Speaks" . . . radio news . . . Student-Teacher columns for Republican . . . dances . . . Christmas formal . . . movies . . . book covers . . . S.I.P.A. trip . . . Md. Press Conference . . . new Speed Graphic . . . assembly . . . **Acorn** evaluation—M.S.P.A. tie for 1st place . . . S.I.P.A. Honor Awards . . . 2nd place at Columbia Press Association . . . **Highlander** evaluation—S.I.P.A. Honor Awards . . . 2nd place at Columbia Press . . . Editors of **Acorn**, Douglas Smith, Ed.; Ass't. Ed., Kathryn Hauser, Ted Raynovich . . . **The Highlander** . . . Delores Vetter, Ed.; Doris Lawson and Roy Paugh, Ass't. Eds.



Douglas Smith  
Acorn Editor



### Literary Enthusiasts

Senior Guided Reading Club . . . broaden scope . . . review books . . . enjoy leisure reading . . . select and recommend books . . . classify materials . . . sponsor, Mrs. Bessie Price.



### Big Oaks From Little Acorns Grow

Junior High Acorn . . . they cover their beat . . . submit Jr. High news for Acorn . . . takes a load off the Journalism class . . . future publishers of Acorns and the Highlander . . . Administrative members: Joey Sanders, Elaine Compton, Kenneth Troy, Betty Tusing.







## No Sour Notes Here!

Senior Band (upper photo) . . . halftime parades at football games . . . playing at basketball games . . . concerts—fall and spring, elementary school, all-county . . . represented at All-State Band . . . assemblies . . . parades . . . Forest Festival . . . annual School-Boy Parade at Washington, D. C. . . dedications . . . playing at fraternal organizations.



## Majorettes and Drum Major

Pat Winters, Roberta Sanaers, Margaret Nethkin, Bill Moore, drum major, Barbara Biser, head majorette, Barbara Glotfelty, Charlotte Welch.

## Always Blowing Around!

Junior Band (lower left) . . . parades . . . Halloween . . . Jr. Band Concert . . . training period . . . summer activities . . . high-stepping drum major, Ronnie Dilgard.

## Beginning To Toot Their Own Horn!

Beginners' Band (top photo, lower left) . . . a time for training period . . . learning from the bottom up . . . end-of-year concert . . . drill, drill, drill . . . a long way to go . . . fun in future years.



Below:  
Bob Speicher  
All-State Band







## All-State Chorus

Top left corner—Frank DeWitt, Arveta Bell, Barbara Moon and Steve Wainer.

## Music Guides

Miss Ruth Brown and Miss Barbara Colabrese.

## Songs Sweet and Stirring

Senior Chorus (upper right) . . . Bouquets and bed-lam . . . Mrs. Brown's and Miss Colabrese's "Little Professionals" . . . "A Song of Christmas" . . . "Babes in Toyland" . . . Springtime concerts and festivals . . . "Have Robes, Will Travel" . . . Ready to meet all requests . . . always busy. Officers: Frank DeWitt, Pres.; Bill Moore, V-Pres.; Janet Leighton, Sec.; Mary Jane Browning, Treas.

## Make Theirs Music

Junior High Chorus . . . performers gaining polish . . . looking forward to bigger things . . . spring and singing go together . . . coming into the public eye . . . Board of Directors—Lester Bittinger, Bill Burgwald, Lois Swartzentruber, Amanda Dixon.

## Something New, Something Special

Music Makers . . . recently organized . . . an able group . . . harmonious voices . . . performed at Spring Concert and Service Club Programs.

## Dig That Music!

"Diplomats" Dance Orchestra . . . Dances aren't the same without them . . . music hot and real cool . . . available for service club functions . . . debut at school dances at Sweetheart Dance . . . pleasant pastime . . . creating great interest . . . President, Jerry Meyers; V-Pres., Jack Roth; Sec.-Treas., Freda Cooper.





## Beginning Builders

Junior High Industrial Arts . . . just getting started . . . choosing their own projects . . . opportunity to express themselves freely . . . learning a lot about new things.



## Future School Marms

Future Teachers of America . . . "F.T.A." . . . teaching for practice . . . elementary school . . . substitute teaching at Southern . . . touring college campuses . . . selling pom-poms . . . hostesses . . . guides for sixth graders . . . purchasing lobby bulletin board . . . improving the club . . . Pres., Delores Vetter; V-Pres., Jane Duling; Sec., Kay Hanlin; Treas., Arveta Bell.

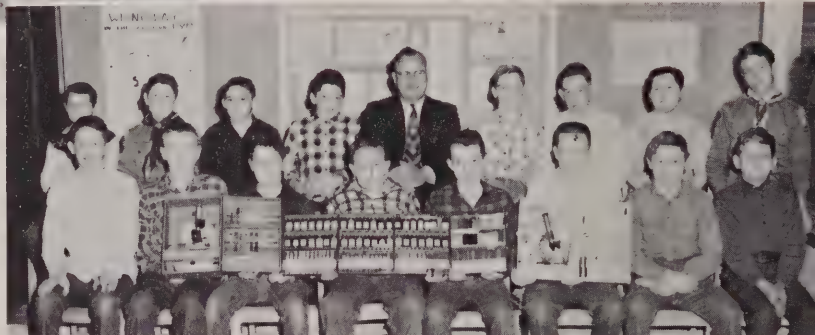


## Parlez-Vous Francais?

French Club . . . come to the Mardi Gras! . . . French banquet . . . French assembly . . . visitor from France . . . club new this year . . . Officers, Pres., Helen Metz; V-Pres., Bryan Thayer; Sec., Libby Dilgard; Treas., Cynthia Nace.

## Buddin' Boomin' Scientists

Jr. Science Club . . . star-gazers . . . Saturday commune with nature . . . school exhibit . . . Professor, Jimmy Callis; Ass't, Mike Cook; Two-in-one man, Rodney Barkhurst.



## "The Great Pretenders"

Senior Dramatics Club . . . capable . . . troupers . . . "Dear Ruth" . . . drama, mystery, comedy . . . three for the price of one . . . one-act festival . . . Pres., Mary Jane Browning; V-Pres., Jack Rolf; Sec., Anita Sleeth; Treas., Susan Mersing.



## Up-and-Coming Actors

Junior Dramatics Club . . . reading and discussion . . . evaluation . . . getting a solid background . . . getting ready for bigger things . . . group officials—Ann Lee Lohr, Barbara Rice, Connie Clary, Harold Beckman.





## Sewing a Fine Seam

Seventh Grade Girls' Handicraft Club . . . sittin' and knittin' . . . embroidery . . . crocheting . . . rug-making . . . creating novelties. Presiding officer, Dorothy Harvey; Ass't, Nancy Burton; Working Girls, Susan Tichinel and Pauline Dragovich.



## Creative Young Ladies

Eighth and Ninth Grade Girls' Handicraft Club . . . painting and decorating ceramic plates . . . earrings and pins of rhinestone . . . learning new crafts . . . twice a month meetings. Officers—Carolyn Cuppett, Barbara Martin, Effie Mae Sliger, Shirley Steyer.



## Handy with Hobbies

Hobby Club . . . Supervised by Mrs. Hogue . . . good use of leisure time . . . enthusiastic . . . twice a month meetings . . . broaden interest in special hobbies . . . display hobby work . . . study library materials. Chief, Richard Gibson; Vice Chief, Fred Bell; Secretary, Richard Custer.



## Artists Extraordinaire

Senior Art Club . . . work on whatever project they please . . . a definite goal in mind . . . qualifications and constitution . . . skill used in leisure time . . . every other Wednesday meetings. Pres., Beverly Winters; V-Pres., Fred Dilgard; Treas., Mary Bachtel.

## Amateur Artists

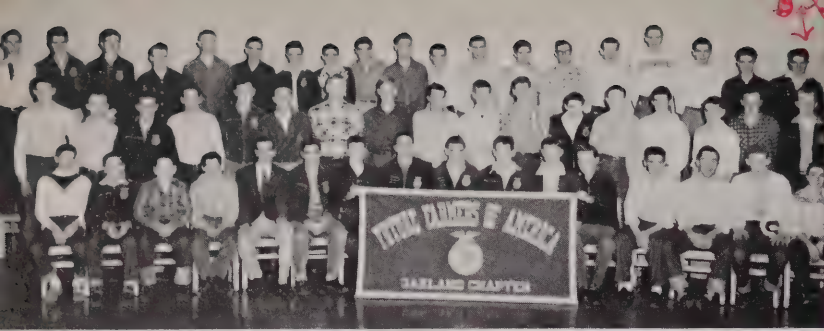
Jr. High Art Club . . . two groups . . . ceramics and oil painting . . . spring art exhibit . . . trip to Blacksburg, W. Va., to see a ceramics workshop in action . . . exploring the many art activities . . . Pres., Jack Gnegy; V-Pres., Beverly Shank; Sec., Susan Porter; Treas., Tom Forman.

## Manly Machinists

Sr. High Industrial Arts . . . big plans for coming year . . . gaining valuable experience . . . very newly organized club . . . extra shop time.







## Modern Farmers

Oakland Sr. Future Farmers of America Chapter . . . "F.F.A." . . . Sweetheart dance . . . F.F.A. and F.H.A. picnic . . . Feeding the parents . . . Cumberland Fair judging contest . . . County judging . . . State Contest and Convention . . . Crop of officers—Richard Bernard; Roger Glotfelty; Walter DeBerry; Roger DeBerry.



## Young Crop of Farmers

Oakland Junior Future Farmers of America Chapter . . . future rural leaders . . . enjoyable pastime . . . picnicking . . . twice a month meetings . . . prospective producers of products . . . Pres., Walter Lee; V-Pres., Baxter Ellifritz; Sec., Harland Carlson; Treas., Jerome Cassidy.

Right:

Traveling F.F.A. Lad  
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Adviser and President

F.F.A. Leaders at Banquet . . . Richard Bernard and Mr. Bishoff

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Pat Gortner



## Hopeful Housewives

Jr. High School Future Homemakers of America . . . serve dinners to special groups . . . delegates at Flintstone High . . . ditto at state meeting at Mt. Saint Joseph's college, Emmitsburg, Md. . . . joint picnic with Jr. F.F.A. . . . honor chapter . . . Chief Cook, Joan Clary; Bottle Washer, Elizabeth Thrasher; Scribbler, Jean Beachy; Holder of Purse Strings, Barbara Snyder; Parliamentarian, Pat Campbell; Chapter Mother, Mrs. Marvelyn DeBerry; Historian, Charlotte Lewis.

## Those Vocational Girls!

Senior Future Homemakers of America . . . competitive point getters . . . top group was entertained . . . homemaking hints . . . lots to do . . . President Ruby Gnegy; Vice-President, Betty Biser, Secretary Norma Roderick; Treasurer, Clara Sisler.





## Aspiring Operators

Junior High Audio-Visual Club . . . learning their job well . . . becoming familiar with equipment . . . facing future fun and responsibility . . . meetings held during club period . . . club leaders—Roger Bray, Harold White, Gary Friend, Eddie Henline.



## The Sound and Sight Club

Sr. Audio Visual Club

These are the boys

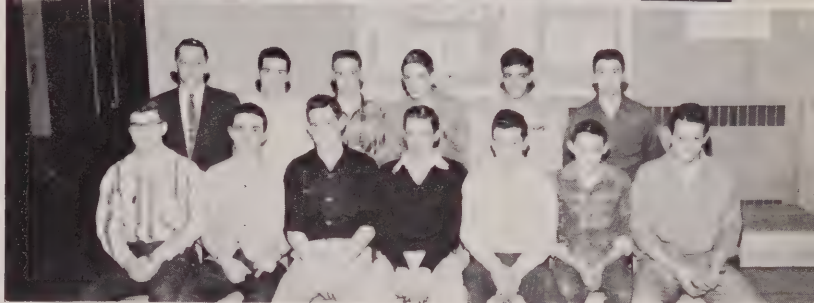
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## Business Career Girls

Future Business Leaders of America . . . committees on various projects . . . awards . . .

work-experience . . . movies . . .

speakers . . . displays . . . secretaries . . .

Miss Ideal Secretary . . . leaders of F.B.L.A.

—Shirley O'Brien, Janet Waybright, Eleanor O'Brien, Mary Mernard.

## Superior Shutter Snappers

Senior High Photography Club . . . taking pictures for Highlander and Acorn . . . evaluating photographs . . . distinguishing between good and bad photographs . . . learning how to operate different types of cameras . . . Pres., Bill George; V-Pres., Sam Moore; Sec., Helen Martin; Treas., Earl Kight.



## Young Shutter-bugs

Junior High Photography Club . . . photography enthusiasts . . . good times every other week . . . potential commercial material . . . photography is our business . . . Presiding officers—Stephan Sines, Pres.; Sub., Jim Kitzmiller; Sec., Carolyn O'Brien; Banker, Ralph Landon.







## “Memories Are Made Of This” . . .

TOP ROW: “Winter Wonderland” . . . Journalism Formal Dance at Christmas . . . Mr. W. Kenneth Johns crowning Ronnie Bowers “King Winter.” “Sweet, Sweet, The Memories You Gave To Me” . . . Frank DeWitt and Shirley Calhoun. “Who Stole The Ding-Dong?” . . . 12 É’s Mock Wedding; bride, Janie Browning, groom, Dale Tasker. SECOND ROW: “Toyland . . . Joyous Boy And Girl Land” . . . Operetta “Babes In Toyland” . . . The Spider Forest . . . Jack Rolf, spider. THIRD ROW: “There’s No Business Like Show Business” . . . “Dear Ruth.” “Band of Gold” . . . sung by Frank and Jackie at the Sweetheart Dance. “Smile, Smile, Smile” . . . Senior picture day . . . senior boys posing. “Daisies Don’t Tell” . . . but anyone knows it’s Bruce MacMurray and Burton Rexrode behind the scenes.





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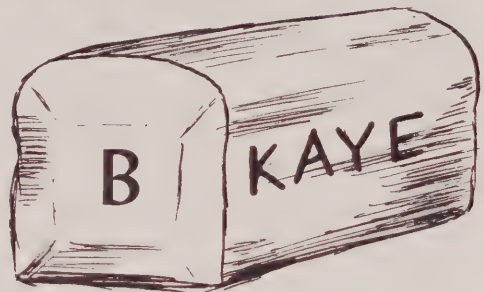
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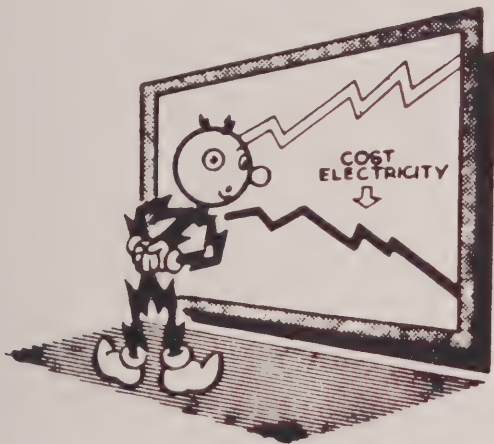
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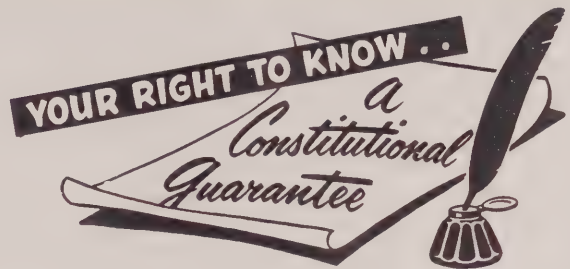


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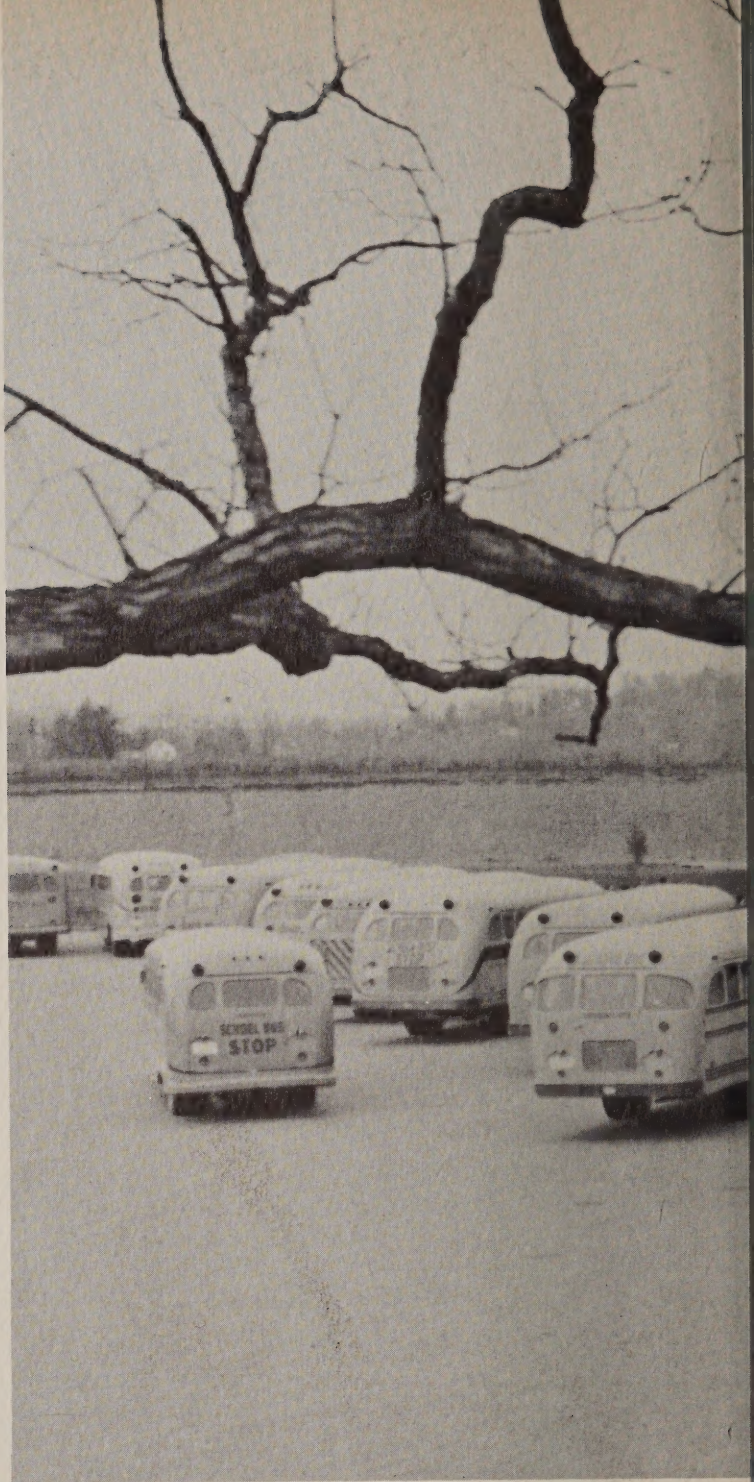
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